



## Stephen Ambrose is tops in state

Historian and Bay-  
resident earns Lifetime  
Achievement Award.

Story, Page 5A



Bay-Waveland Head Start, Bay  
Catholic and St. Paul Catholic  
Elem. all get into the spirit.

Pages 10A & 1B

659  
\*\*\*\*\*3-DIGIT 392  
1000486082302 20 \*\*B-050  
HISTO DEPT. OF ARCHIVES 1  
PO BOX 571  
JACKSON MS 39205-0571  
39205

# The Sea Coast Echo

Since 1892

VOL. 111, NO. 12 BAY ST. LOUIS, MISSISSIPPI

WWW.SEACOASTECHO.COM

TWO SECTIONS, 22 PAGES 50 CENTS

**Sunday**  
**FEB. 10, 2002**

## Bay P.D. watches child safety regs

The Bay St. Louis Police Department has beefed up patrols for national child safety week, beginning today, and is reminding all drivers to ensure children are in appropriate child safety seats or seatbelts.

## BHS Class of '92 planning reunion

Bay High's Class of 1992 reunion has been scheduled for July 6. For information, call Toy Coles at 452-1819; Kim Michel at 467-5669; or Terri White at 466-0901.

## St. Clare Lenten services planned

Msgr. James McGough, pastor of St. Clare Catholic Church at Waveland, announces the following Lenten services: Ash Wednesday, Mass at 8:30 a.m. and 7 p.m. Ashes will be distributed at each mass. Daily Mass schedule during Lent will be Mon., Tues. and Thurs. at 7 a.m.; Wed. at 7 and 8:15 a.m.; Sat. at 8 a.m., 4 p.m. vigil. Stations of the Cross, Fri. at 3:30 (children) and 7 p.m.

### WHAT'S INSIDE

Editorial Page 4A  
Obituaries Page 6A  
Sports Pages 8-9A  
Classified Pages 9-11B

## TIDES

DAY	HIGH	LOW
Wed.	12:15 a.	11:48 a.
Thurs.	12:57 a.	12:07 p.
Fri.	1:36 a.	12:01 p.
Sat.	2:19 a.	11:11 a.
	4:17 p.	9:22 p.
Sun.	3:29 a.	9:19 a.
	3:48 p.	

**Edmond Jaffey**  
FUNERAL HOME  
  
Complete  
Funeral,  
Cemetery And  
Mausoleum  
Pre-  
Arrangements  
**467-9031**

**Time & Temp**  
**467-9051**  
**HANCOCK**  
**BANK**  
Member FDIC

# Attorneys eye dioxins at DuPont

BY BENNIE  
SHALLBETTER  
Staff Writer

Plaintiff's attorneys in a potential lawsuit against the DuPont DeLisle plant revealed last week what they believe is damning evidence against the company - that the plant's waste products contain danger-

ous levels of dioxins. DuPont DeLisle's manager challenges that claim, saying that there are dioxins present, but that they are maintained well below dangerous levels and are no hazard either to the public or to company employees.

Lawyers Kathleen Smiley and Mike Fenasi head up a

national litigation team which so far is representing 1,308 residents of the Kiln-Delisle, Diamondhead, and Bay St. Louis area, in what they say will be a multi-billion dollar lawsuit against the Dupont Delisle plant.

DUPONT-PAGE 10A

"We are committed to protecting the health of employees, the community and to protecting the environment. We have nothing to hide and welcome the opportunity for people to understand the facts about our facility."

- Aldo Morrell  
DeLisle Plant Manager

## Krewzin' with the Kids



Bay St. Louis City Councilman William "Bill" Taylor reads a proclamation from the city Saturday outside Dunbar Village as the Krewe of Kids' King Cayce Seal and Queen Mary Katherine Morris toast the Dunbar krewe's King Al Summy and Queen Daisy Aura. The annual event preceded the Krewe of Kids' Mardi Gras parade.

**M**ardi Gras action keeps on rolling on the Mississippi Gulf Coast. The Krewe of Kids in Bay St. Louis and the Krewe of Diamondhead both marched Saturday. The St. Paul Carnival Association Parade kicks off today at noon in Pass Christian; and the Krewe of Real People rolls Tuesday, beginning at 1 p.m. in Bay St. Louis.



Visitors at the I-10 Welcome Center in Hancock County received a special Mardi Gras welcome Friday from the Hancock County Retired Senior Volunteer Program. Visitors received heads from RSVP members, and were treated to special Mardi Gras music and "second lining." Several royalty costumes designed by Carter Church of Bay St. Louis are also on display until March 15 at the center.

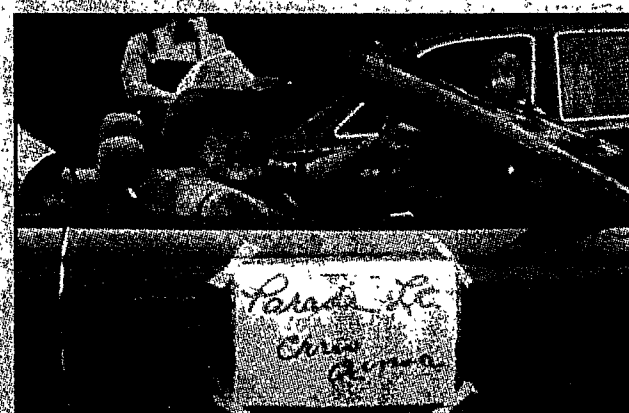


Photo courtesy of Sandra Higdon  
John "Chris" Arnos, at last year's Krewe of Diamondhead Parade. Arnos died Friday of cancer.

## Krewe of D'head mourns loss of founding father

BY GEOFF BELCHER  
News Editor

The Krewe of Diamondhead's Mardi Gras Parade Saturday was a joyous, but bitter-sweet occasion.

The parade, rolled on schedule with more than 40 units Saturday, but without its long-time

lieutenant and co-founder, John "Chris" Arnos. Arnos, 79, died Friday morning.

"He found out two weeks ago he had cancer," Arnos' daughter, Sandra Higdon, said Friday.

ARNOS-PAGE 2A

## Chase recovers stolen vehicle

Bay, Wave police,  
sheriff & hwy.  
patrol nab suspect

BY ELLIS C. CUEVAS  
Publisher Emeritus

The Bay and Waveland police departments, Hancock sheriff's deputies and Mississippi Highway Patrol troopers were all involved in a single high-speed pursuit Friday night.

A Hancock County resident allegedly stole a vehicle in Kiln Friday night when the car's owner went into a store to cash a check and left her engine running, according to Bay Police Chief Frank McNeil.

McNeil said, "The sheriff's department put out a 'be on the lookout' for a vehicle stolen from the parking lot at Dolly's Quick Stop in Kiln. Bay Patrolman Lawsel

CHASE-PAGE 2A

## Plenty of coke, but nobody's smiling now

BY GEOFF BELCHER  
News Editor

"Have a Coke and a smile," seems to be taking on a whole new meaning in Hancock County.

Waveland Police Chief James Varnell reported last week that his officers had made three more cocaine-related arrests - less than three weeks after Hancock sheriff's deputies had seized more than two kilos of cocaine in an I-10 traffic

COKE-PAGE 2A

## Freedom Tree



Members of the Point Island Garden Club on Thursday dedicated a magnolia tree at the county park on Ponce deLeon St. to the victims of the Sept. 11 terrorist attack on the World Trade Center. The tree was planted with the cooperation of Harrison County Board of Supervisors member Marlin Ladner. Through the tree planting, club member Sylvia Gaffney said, "the Point Island Garden Club has joined hands across America in a national project entitled Two Million Freedom Trees." Pictured are, from left, Marlin Ladner, Evelyn Winch, Sylvia Gaffney, Helen Foster, Sue Schertzer, Annette Rolfs, little Shelby Clark, Carol Cunningham, and Ethel Sheron.

Echo staff photo by Geoff Belcher

## Coke -- bust

Continued from Page 1A

stop and just a few days after Waveland officers had arrested another man for possession of crack cocaine.

The latest arrests, Varnell said in a release, include Luan Vu Nguyen, 30, of Waveland; Luom Van Ngo, 31, of Bay St. Louis; and Phuong Dinh Tran, 25, of Houston, Tx.

Varnell said his officers had been responding to "a

disturbance call that was called in at the Texan Motel on Hwy. 90."

All three men were charged with possession of a controlled substance (crack cocaine), with bond set at \$10,000 each.

Luan Vu Nguyen was also charged with contempt of court for failure to appear in Waveland Municipal Court on another matter,

Varnell said. Extra bond in his case was set at \$600.

Waveland patrolman Elfren Acosta was the arresting officer in the case. All three men were jailed at the Hancock County Justice Facility. An initial appearance has been scheduled in Waveland Municipal Court on Thursday.

## Arnos -- mourned

Continued from Page 1A

Arnos was one of the original organizers of the parade, Higdon said, and had for years led the parade as lieutenant. This year, he decided to retire from the job and turn his duties over to Ray Sheehy. This year, Arnos was to serve as the

parade's grand marshal.

In honor of Arnos, krewe members placed photos of him on the car in which he had ridden and years past, and his grandson rode in his usual place.

"(Chris) was very much loved by everyone," June

Duffour, assistant director of this year's krewe pageant, said Saturday.

Funeral arrangements were incomplete yesterday at Edmond Fahey Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis.

## Depression blamed for rise in Coast suicide numbers

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

The number of suicides on the Coast rose by 20 percent in 2001, a rise health professionals call both alarming and preventable.

Coroners and mental health professionals believe the reason for the rise in suicides in the three Coast counties is depression, a mental illness with a high recovery rate for those who seek help.

There were 61 suicides on the Coast in 2001.

American Medical Response responded to 491 suicide threats last year in Harrison and Hancock counties. Figures were not available for Jackson County.

"Suicide is a sad thing that we can't understand," Biloxi Police Sgt. Jackie Rhodes said. "But the real shame of it is that people who need help all too often don't get it."

Half the suicides in Harrison County occurred in the last three months of the year, which Coroner Gary Hargrove said is a typical seasonal trend he

attributes to depression around the holidays.

"I keep up with drug trends and possible side effects from medications such as OxyContin and Accutane. But that doesn't seem to be a big problem here. Mostly it's depression," he said.

When Hargrove questions families about their loved one's recent behavior, "a lot of them realize there were warning signs, but they missed them. Sometimes there's no warning signs at all."

People can plunge into hopelessness for any number of reasons, said Steve Barilleaux, a psychologist with the Gulf Coast Mental Health Center in Gulfport.

"Their judgment becomes clouded or it's brought on by intense grief or substance abuse," he said.

"Depression is a real illness," Barilleaux said, "Unfortunately, some people still have the old-fashioned notion that depression or suicide are a sign of weakness."

"That's just not true." Studies show that 15 per-

cent of people who suffer from major depression or who have a history of chronic mental illness will eventually commit suicide, Barilleaux said.

"That sounds like a horrible number. But on the flip side, it means an 85 percent cure rate. In most cases, people who suffer from major depression can recover and live full, normal lives."

People with suicidal tendencies who refuse to seek help can be temporarily restrained for their safety through civil commitment, a legal procedure that requires an evaluation, court hearing and a judge's order.

"At least 50 percent of those placed in our transitional living center stabilize within a week," Barilleaux said. "A relative or friend can call us and request a civil commitment, but the guidelines are very stringent, so this method is not used for wrongful purposes. "If someone truly wants to commit suicide, we can't stop them. But there is help. There is hope."

## New rubbish site hearing set

BY BENNIE SHALLBETTER  
Staff Writer

The Hancock County Solid Waste Authority will conduct a public hearing on Wednesday, February 13 at 7 p.m. at the Hancock County Civic Center to gather community input on a request by Phillip Thigpen to turn his mining facility into a Class 2 rubbish site. The facility is located off Hwy. 607. Thigpen proposes to name the new facility Phillips Rubbish Facility.

In other business:

• Board members voted on a motion that will allow Joey Boudin to begin the process of seeking a Class 1 permit to replace the Class 2 permit now in effect at his rubbish site located on 80 acres in the buffer zone off Hwy. 604. A Class 2 site allows mostly natural rubbish, such as limbs or rocks. A Class 1 site allows all other materials.

• Board members announced the possibility of

using land at Stennis International Airport as a permanent drop-off site for hazardous waste day.

This year, April 27 is the proposed hazardous waste day. The issue will be discussed at a Port and Harbor meeting on Monday at 1 p.m.

• The board voted to request that Mississippi Resources Inc. recyclers continue their contract for another three months to allow for time to negotiate another contract.

## Chase

Continued from Page 1A

Flowers spotted the vehicle in the 400 block of Washington Street and summoned back-up.

"The driver fled and a chase began on Washington and covered several city streets including Chantilly, Union, Third and eventually to Beach Boulevard," McNeil said.

Among those included in the chase were, Hancock County Sheriff's Capt. Joe Herrin, Deputy Matt Sekinger, Investigator André Fizer, Waveland patrolmen and state troopers and also Bay Patrolman Robert O'Neal.

McNeil continued, "The driver, Melton Eady Lewis, 34, 6380 Kiln/Picayune Road, Hancock County, purposely pulled into the side of Patrolman O'Neal's vehicle near Our Lady of the Gulf Church. A state trooper at the railroad crossing turned on his lights and Lewis exited Beach Boulevard into the OLG's carnival grounds and ended up crashing into an oak

tree."

"We are very lucky, it was a combined effort by four agencies and no one was injured during the chase. Lewis managed to slightly damage another Bay patrolman's vehicle, too," McNeil said.

Lewis was removed from the vehicle and charges against him included, possession of stolen property, reckless driving, aggravated assault of a police officer and resisting arrest, with bond set at \$11,000, McNeil said.



Julie Rosson,  
President  
Licensed, Insured

**GOOD EARTH BUILDERS, INC.**  
NEW CONSTRUCTION & REMODELING

1250 Old Spanish Trail  
Bay St. Louis, MS  
**467-2244**



**AIR - CARE**

Air Conditioning  
Heating • Refrigeration

Installation & Repair  
Residential & Commercial

Serving Hancock & Harrison  
Counties Since 1988

**GoodCents**

**TEMPSTAR** 467-1448  
HEATING & COOLING PRODUCTS



Keith Aubert,  
Owner

## Bolden to be named as NASA's new deputy administrator

Stennis Space Center Acting Director Mark Craig reacted positively to the announcement Jan. 31 by NASA Administrator Sean O'Keefe and the White House of the President's intention to nominate former NASA astronaut and Assistant Deputy Administrator Maj. Gen. Charles F. Bolden, U.S. Marine Corps, as NASA's next deputy administrator.

Bolden, 55, currently serves as the Commanding General, 3rd Marine Aircraft Wing in San Diego, Calif. "We are very excited about welcoming Gen. Bolden back to our NASA family," Craig said. "His past contributions to the Agency were invaluable. Stennis looks forward to the leadership that Administrator O'Keefe and Gen. Bolden as a team will provide in leading us into the future."

Bolden was commissioned in the U.S. Marine Corps following his graduation from the U.S. Naval Academy in 1968. In 1970, he was designated as a naval aviator and served in Vietnam from 1972 to 1973.

In 1980, Bolden was selected as an astronaut candidate by NASA and qualified as a Space Shuttle pilot astronaut in 1981. He went on to fly four missions in space: first aboard the Space Shuttle Columbia in 1986, two missions aboard Space Shuttle Discovery and one mission aboard the Space Shuttle Atlantis.

From 1992 to 1994, he served at NASA as the assistant deputy administrator. From 1994 to 1995, he was Deputy Commandant of the U.S. Naval Academy in Annapolis, and has gone on to hold various positions within the military, including Deputy Commander of U.S. Force, Japan.

## Drastic Reductions

up to **70% OFF**

Men's & Ladies Fall/Winter  
Apparel & Accessories  
**HURRY IN FOR BEST SELECTION!**  
etc...etc...

102 N. Beach Blvd., Bay St. Louis  
Open 7 Days a Week • 466-9010

Rates As Low As 1.9% on select models

**New 2002 Jetta GL**  
NOW WAS 18,450  
**\$16,495**  
Air Conditioning, Power Steering, AM/FM/CD, Keyless Entry, S&K/V8581

**2002-New Beetle GLS**  
NOW WAS 18,450  
**\$16,495**  
PW, PL, Cruise, Keyless Entry, S&K/V8521

**2002-Eurovan GLS**  
NOW WAS 28,210  
**\$24,995**  
Auto, PW, PL, Cruise, AM/FM, Cassette, Alloy Wheels

**New 2002 Passat GLS**  
NOW WAS 27,930  
**\$24,995**  
Auto, PW, PL, Cruise, Leather, Sunroof, Moonroof Sound, Keyless Entry, S&K/V8483

**"Mr. Bobby's"**  
Volkswagen  
Call Free 1-800-900-9000  
896-6840  
www.mrbobbys.com

## Pass artists to hear wood sculptor

The February meeting of the Pass Christian Art Association will be conducted in the Community Room of the Pass Christian Library Saturday, Feb. 16 at 2 p.m.

The featured artist will be Lowell Lee, award-winning Mississippi wood carver. He will speak about the fundamentals of wood carving and painting.

Several examples of his

finished works will also be shown. Visitors are welcome. Artwork by members is on display in the Library Community Room during regular library hours and may also be purchased.

## Pass Harbor work hits an unseen snag

BY ED LEPOMA  
Staff Writer

Construction crews working on replacing the collapsing east wall at the Pass Christian Smaller Harbor have run into an unexpected problem.

John Campton of Garner Russell and Associates, the city's consulting engineer on the project, informed Mayor Billy McDonald and the Board of Aldermen of the problem in a letter sent Jan. 17. Campton explained a subcontractor had successfully completed 48 of the 55 anchors for the bulkhead when he encountered some unexpected concrete obstructions buried deep behind the existing bulkhead wall near the south end of the project.

The obstacles are located in the area the city leases to private seafood dealers, and Campton said the prime contractor, GM&R, agreed to use the same sub to core-drill through the concrete places that were in the way.

Estimates varied from a high of \$70,000 to a low of \$25,000, depending on how deep the crews have to drill, Campton said.

However, Campton reported at last Tuesday's meeting, the removal of the concrete did not require drilling all seven locations to a depth of 14-feet, and the added cost to the overall project was \$29,951. Aldermen approved the change order, Campton said. While the work is underway, Campton suggested hiring a subcontractor to install 15 temporary wood piles to serve as temporary fenders along the east wall of the bulkhead.

The city solicited two bids, and awarded the project to Anchor Service and Sales of Long Beach. The additional cost of \$5,780 will be paid out of Tideland funds, Campton said.

GM&R was the low bidder on the east wall project

at \$1.1 million - more than \$300,000 lower than the engineer's estimates. The city is using a combination of Tideland funds on hand and state grants to finance the project.

Campton estimates the project is around 20 percent complete, and based on that estimate, aldermen approved a second partial payment to GM&R of \$449,412.

Campton said, barring bad weather and other unforeseen problems, the harbor project should be completed near the end of July.

Aldermen also authorized the city to put out to bid plans to double the size of the fishing pier on the west side of the harbor and construct five new large slips for charter vessels.

Campton's estimate is the project should come in around \$175,000, and there are Tideland funds available without tapping into \$200,000 in Tideland funds recently received by the city for fiscal 2002.

In other news affecting the harbor, aldermen took under consideration a proposal by Dick and Mary Thompson of Bay St. Louis. They are owners of the 120-foot-long yacht "Christina," and want to permanently dock their vessel at the Pass harbor.

They currently moor the boat in a bayou in front of their home in Hancock County, but the couple said they increasingly have difficulty navigating in low tides.

The Thompsons said they have met with the harbor master, and "determined that our boat would adequately fit in a newly constructed slip at the end of the pier designated as P-1."

The Thompsons are offering to build the slip at their own expense, dedicate it to the city, and pay a monthly lease fee for the space.

## Seals swears



Echo staff photo by Geoff Belcher  
Hancock County Chancery Clerk Tim Kellar, left, on Thursday administers the oath of office to newly-appointed Hancock County School Board member Kenny Seals. Seals was appointed to fill the unexpired term of board member Julie Easter, who resigned last month because she is moving to another state.

## Bay police officers nab alleged burglar

BY BENNIE SHALLBETTER  
Staff Writer

Chief Frank McNeil of the Bay St. Louis Police Department reported on Thursday that officers had arrested a suspected burglar. The man, William Robin Montgomery, 44, was arrested Wednesday night at 11:18 p.m. in the parking lot located at 1188 Hwy. 90.

The man was parked there in a truck and officers stopped to "see what he was up to," said McNeil. When officers ran the Florida license plate on the vehicle through a check they discovered that it was stolen, McNeil said. The vehicle itself appeared to belong to Montgomery, McNeil said.

Police then searched the vehicle and found several computer printers, chain saws and a bolt cutter. Montgomery, a Panama City, Fla. resident was charged with possession of burglary tools and is being held at the Hancock County Justice Facility, he said.

Police are trying to discover who the merchandise in the truck belonged to, McNeil said. If anyone has any information on the items he asked that they please contact Detectives Don Watson or Ernest Taylor, who are investigating the case.

## Gotcha

## Cleanup continues at Bayou Caddy

BY ED LEPOMA  
Staff Writer

The state Department of Marine Resources has joined in efforts by the U.S. Coast Guard to clean up the waterways of Bayou Caddy.

In last Thursday's Echo, the DMR served official notice to owners of three boats left abandoned in the canals. The owners have until Monday, March 4, to remove the derelict vessels or the DMR will raise them; and in the event the owners of the vessels are found, they will be charged double the cost for removal, plus attorney fees and all court costs.

The legal advertisement by the DMR identifies the vessels and where each is located.

One is a wooden hull fishing boat approximately 30 by 12-feet sitting at the north end of Bayou Caddy. The second is a 30-foot wooden hull fishing boat identified by registration number LA3915AT, located next to Bayou Caddy Fisheries. The third is a wooden hull fishing boat approximately 30 by 15-feet located in the canal on Bayou Caddy.

In recent months, the Pollution Response Team from the U.S. Coast Guard's New Orleans-area Marine Safety office has begun an intense effort to clean up

Bayou Caddy waterways, which USCG Chief Patrick Cuty said "is the most polluted area that we cover all the way from Houma to Long Beach, Ms."

Petty Officer Eric Nolte said over the years, the Bayou Caddy area has become the dumping grounds for derelict vessels, dumped fuel and other debris.

The Pollution Response Team issued a temporary shut-down order for Bayou Caddy Fisheries and Terry's Seafood, and recently lifted them when both businesses installed better fuel and waste-containment systems.

The Coast Guard has warned the owners of the derelict boats or of any boats spilling oil or fuel into the water can and will be held liable. The first fine is \$250-per-day. That doubles with each passing day, up to a maximum of \$27,500 per day.

There is also an \$11,000 fine for intentional discharge. Plans are to charge the violator with the cost of cleanup, and the violator could also face up to five years in jail.

The Coast Guard has a hot line to report an environmental hazard or violations of the Water Pollution Control Act. The number to call is 1-800-424-8802.

## Leetown fire deemed 'accidental'

BY ED LEPOMA  
Staff Writer

The cause of the fire that took the lives of a Leetown man and his four-year-old daughter has been ruled accidental.

Joel Hibbens, 28, of Karly Drive in the Deer Park subdivision, perished in the fire early Monday when he returned to the burning trailer and tried to rescue his daughter, Ashlee. His nine-year-old son managed to escape.

County Fire Marshal Richard Pate said he and state Fire Marshal David Frye went through the rubble earlier this week trying to determine the cause of the blaze.

"There really wasn't much left of it," said Pate. "We couldn't determine the exact cause, but we did rule it accidental. We saw no indication it was anything else."

Joint services were in Kenner Saturday for Hibbens and his daughter.



## Community Education

Keep Your Heart Healthy!



Cardiologist Sergio Barrios, MD will discuss cardiac risk factors and treatment of heart disease

Thursday, Feb. 14

Noon

The Bridges at Casino Magic

Cost of luncheon: \$7



## Prenatal Classes

Two-week class focuses on diet, exercise & what to expect during your pregnancy.

Feb. 14 & 21 7:30 p.m.



HANCOCK MEDICAL CENTER

Call 467-8727 to register

## MONUMENTAL MATTRESS EVENT



SPECIAL PRICING ON OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF SEALY BEDDING  
SAVE ON EVERY SIZE, EVERY FIRMNESS!



Sealy Backsaver	
plush	
<b>\$399</b>	
QUEEN SET	
TWIN Set	\$239
FULL Set	\$349
KING Set	\$499

Sealy Posturepedic	
firm	
<b>\$459</b>	
QUEEN SET	
TWIN Set	\$329
FULL Set	\$449
KING Set	\$679

FREE Removal Of Old Bedding!\*  
FREE Delivery!\*  
FREE 0% Financing!\*

Sealy Posturepedic	
plush	
<b>\$499</b>	
QUEEN SET	
TWIN Set	\$349
FULL Set	\$469
KING Set	\$699

Sealy Backsaver	
pillowtop	
<b>\$549</b>	
QUEEN SET	
TWIN Set	\$369
FULL Set	\$499
KING Set	\$699



You deserve a Sealy & Foster.



The Ultimate In Support.

## SLEEP KING

The Mattress Store

Visit our website at [www.sleepking.com](http://www.sleepking.com)  
\*Limited delivery area. Minimum purchase required.

211B Eisenhower Dr., Biloxi (North of Edgewater Mall next to Cellular South)  
388-6200

209 Highway 90, Waveland (Across from AquaPoolCo.)  
467-0960

REGARDLESS OF YOUR PAST CREDIT, YOU COULD DRIVE TODAY!  
Call Now 24hrs.  
1-800-444-9633  
REBUILD YOUR CREDIT TODAY!  
ADVANCED CREDIT REBUILDING SYSTEM

**Johnson's Siding & Gutters**  
467-9251  
Vinyl Siding • Soffit & Fascia  
5" & 6" Seamless Gutters in Aluminum & Copper  
FREE ESTIMATES 25 YEARS EXPERIENCE

# OPINION

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 2002

pg 4A



## Cuevas' Quotes

by Ellis C. Cuevas  
Publisher Emeritus

Mardi Gras is fast approaching. Local parades are on tap for this afternoon and Tuesday.

The St. Paul Carnival Association's parade rolls this afternoon in Pass Christian beginning at noon.

The Pass parade is one of the older ones in the area beginning in 1930 with the exception of World War II. This is a family-type parade and has family members participating with floats for many years.

An old high school classmate of mine, Frank Wittmann, is the grand marshal for the Pass parade which begins at noon.

The parade, which usually has some 75 or more floats, forms on Davis Avenue, Davis to the Scenic Drive, Scenic West to U.S. 90, U.S. 90 to Henderson, Henderson to Church Avenue, Church to Second Street, Second to St. Paul Avenue where it disbands.

It is a lengthy parade and draws thousands and thousands of viewers. There are a lot of good viewing areas for the parade.

Mardi Gras closes in Hancock County on Tuesday with the Krewe of Real People rolling through the streets of Bay St. Louis. This marks the 21st year for the Krewe of Real People, and this year's theme is "The Soul Olympics - 'Achievers Paving the Way'."

Real People forms on Bookter Street and proceeds on Necaise to Main Street, Main to Beach Boulevard, Beach to Union St. Union to

Railroad St., Railroad to Third St., Third to Sycamore St., Sycamore to Old Spanish Trail, Spanish Trail to Bookter where it disbands.

King and queen of Real People were announced last night at the krewe's annual ball which was held at the Hancock County Civic Center.

I hope that each and every one of you will have a great Mardi Gras time.

Every year members of the Hancock County Retired Senior Volunteer Program work in cooperation with the I-10 Welcome Center's staff and present a special Mardi Gras welcome, which for this year was held last Friday.

Visitors at the Welcome Center really get a great Mardi Gras welcome from RSVP members.

Folks from across the nation visit the Welcome Center and they are amazed at the royalty costumes on display designed by Carter Church of Bay St. Louis.

The costumes are from krewes from the Mississippi Gulf Coast and New Orleans area.

Bobby Tate, Welcome Center manager reports they will be on display until March 15.

Many of the visitors are also taking advantage of the re-opening of the StenniSphere, which has its Launch Pad next to the Welcome Center.

The StenniSphere Visitors Center is open every day and there are several added attractions since it was closed September 11 and recently re-opened.

The StenniSphere Visitors Center is open every day and there are several added attractions since it was closed September 11 and recently re-opened.

## 'New jobs' is priority one in Mississippi

As part of my State of the State address last month, I outlined four main priorities; topping the list was jobs for Mississippi.

I returned this past week from my second economic development trip to South Korea. The governor of a state is not just a chief executive; the governor is also the chief salesman. It doesn't matter if it's a state, our people and our company looking to bring

4,000 jobs or one bringing 40 jobs. My role is to close the deal.

We've been working hard to bring quality, high-paying jobs to Mississippi.

In the past two years, according to the Mississippi Development Authority, more than 21,000 new jobs have been created and over \$6.5 billion has been invested in the state. Businesses are investing in our state, our people and our promise.

Every new business that looks at coming to Mississippi or expanding a current operation in the state gets our full attention. Whether it's an automotive manufacturer like Nissan or a small technological operation like Partners for Progress in Prentiss, the bottom line is jobs for the people of Mississippi.

One of our greatest tools is the Advantage Mississippi initiative. Passed in a special session of the Legislature in 2000, Advantage Mississippi is recognized as one of the most aggressive and innovative economic develop-

ment programs in the nation.

This program helped us bring one of the top economic projects in the nation to the state in the Nissan plant. The variety of incentives and services offered in the program can be tailored to any size company or project.

The Mississippi Development Authority, with Executive Director Bob Rohrlack, is working all corners of the globe to sell our state. In London, Japan, Chile and Singapore, representatives of the MDA are

MUSGROVE--PAGE 5A



## From the Governor

By Ronnie Musgrove



IF YOU'RE GOING TO KILL YOURSELF, CHOOSE THE "SAFER" WAY. FORGET PILLS, ROPES OR GUNS, TRY OUR "SAFER" CIGARETTE!

MADE FROM TOBACCO WITH LESS NICOTINE, PROUDLY GROWN IN MISSISSIPPI! (WE'RE STILL WORKING ON THE CARBON MONOXIDE)

## Teddy Bear's 100th birthday

In 1902 President Theodore Roosevelt visited Mississippi to hunt bears in the Delta. The hunting trip lasted three days and no bears were found.

On the last day, Nov. 14, 1902, the dogs found an old bear near the town of Onward, overtaking it and attacking it. The guides got the dogs away, captured the old bear, and tethered it to a tree until Roosevelt arrived on the scene.

The President refused to kill the captive old bear for sport. A political cartoonist named Clifford Berryman drew a picture based on the story, which became so wildly popular that other cartoonists began drawing similar caricatures, although some depicted the bear as a young cub. The cub soon became as well known as

the President.

As the story goes, this incident led to the popularity of stuffed toy bears, which came to be known as "teddy bears."

This year being the 100th anniversary of Teddy Roosevelt's hunting expedition, the Mississippi Legislature is considering a bill that would declare the Teddy Bear the official state toy.

Teddy bears are an important part of American history and culture. It is interesting to know that they came to be because of a trip that Theodore Roosevelt made to Mississippi.

If you have any questions or comments, do not hesitate to contact me at the State Capitol, Dirk Dedeaux (601) 359-3770, PO Box 1018, Jackson, MS 39215-1018.



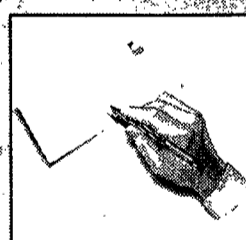
## From the Legislature

By Dirk Dedeaux

## Letters to the Editor

### Our letters policy

The Sea Coast Echo welcomes comments from its readers. Letters must be signed and include address or telephone number. Letters should be brief, preferably typewritten and double-spaced. Only one letter per writer per month. The editor reserves the right to edit or reject letters. Letters of thanks, expressions of appreciation and political endorsements are inappropriate.



## Enron should be a 'wake-up call' for protecting our rights

Dear Editor: Participants in the Mississippi Public Employees Retirement System as well as individual Mississippi investors have lost millions of dollars of retirement savings as a result of the Enron accounting scandal.

Enron should serve as a wake-up call to anyone considering restricting the rights of Mississippi citizens in this state's civil justice system.

The types of insider profiteering now unfolding in the news media and congressional hearings are at the expense of Mississippians from every walk of life.

While Fruit of the Loom closed plants throughout the United States, laying off hundreds of people in Batesville, for instance, its

chairman and CEO, according to a complaint filed by a pension fund that held its stock, sold 96% of the stock he owned - reaping \$39 million in profits before the company went into bankruptcy.

What gave rise to lawsuits by Mississippi businessmen and consumers against life insurance companies was fraudulent actuarial and deceptive sales practices emanating from the home offices of insurance companies that local agents thought they could trust.

The lesson is this: From the top of the economic ladder to the bottom in this state, Mississippians need the protection of the courts - not protection from them.

Richard T. Phillips  
Batesville, Miss.

## The Sea Coast Echo

USPS 487-100

Published Thursday and Sunday each week at 124 Court Street, Bay St. Louis, MS. Mailing Address: P.O. Box 2009, Bay St. Louis, MS 39521-2009.

POSTMASTER: Send address changes to: The Sea Coast Echo, P.O. Box 2009, Bay St. Louis, MS 39521-2009. Periodical postage paid at Bay St. Louis, MS.

Phone (228) 467-5474



James R. (Randy) Ponder, Editor and Publisher  
Geoff Belcher, News Editor  
Rita Breun, Circulation Manager  
Michael Benson, Production Manager  
Ellis C. Cuevas, Publisher Emeritus

### BY MAIL

Hancock County, Pass Christian, Perkinston, Picayune, Long Beach and Service Personnel .....\$37.00 per year  
Elsewhere in Mississippi and Louisiana.....\$52.00 per year  
All Other Out-Of-State Subscriptions.....\$58.00 per year

### HOME DELIVERY

Bay St. Louis, Waveland and Diamondhead.....\$37.00 per year

110th Year of Publication

Member of the Mississippi Press Association

and the National Newspaper Association

We recommend to subscribers that pre-payments made directly to carriers be limited to a maximum of 30 days. Your newspaper carrier is an independent contractor, and payments by subscribers are not subject to control by The Sea Coast Echo. The publisher maintains the right to reject or edit any submitted matter.



THE SEA

Musgrove

educating l about Miss and produc

The days world looking as a pure economy ha we are seen leader in manufactur the impres doing it all national re There ar we have to had some b

Am Life

Celebra Stephen E musician Jr. and Carmichael eight recip Governor's Excellence

Winners were annou the Mi Commission nates the a

The wir their awa annual cer Friday, Fel Chamber o Museum in

"The a those wh extraordin to the arti life in l beyond," Hedgepoch tor.

"These institution than av Through work, they schools a are made the arts."

Award o number o annually a the judges

Judges awards a Hattiesbu director of Arts Coun Jackson, and winr Artist's Award;

Grea grou

The ne discussion will be W at 7 p.m. Meeting l St. Louis Library.

The gr studying Art of the ings for tl Everything, Must by and Pom McEwan.

Spons Hanco System, group b 1990. Sin bers have 345 title: complet from gre Hobbes, deTocque fiction, pl philosoph

46 1248-B HW



## Musgrove -- jobs

educating business leaders about Mississippi's people and products.

The days of the rest of the world looking at Mississippi as a purely agricultural economy have passed. Now, we are seen as an emerging leader in technology and manufacturing. And here's the impressive part: We're doing it all in the face of a national recession.

There are still challenges we have to deal with. We've had some businesses consol-

idate their operations; we've seen some plants close. When this happens, we are prepared to respond.

We do it with the Rapid Response Team, created for economic development emergencies. This team was in Jackson County last year when International Paper closed its operations. It was in Clarke County last month after Burlington announced its plant was closing, resulting in the loss of 850 jobs. They're ready

and available for any community in this state that needs our services.

My hope is that we don't have to use the Rapid Response Team very often. But, when the team is needed, the people who need them most will have it.

The current recession does mean there are Mississippians who don't have the opportunity to work right now. It also means the work we are doing to create jobs is more

Continued from Page 4A

important than ever. We will not stop this work, and we will work longer and harder to get it done.

In the end, the work we do to bring jobs to this state is about more than statistics. It's about opportunity - the opportunity to work, to build, to dream. It's about the opportunity of a state and a people determined to shape a future built on the promise we know exists.

## Ambrose honored by state with Lifetime Achievement Award

Celebrated author Stephen E. Ambrose, Jazz musician Russell Thomas, Jr. and patron Sally W. Carmichael are among the eight recipients of the 2002 Governor's Awards for Excellence in the Arts.

Winners of the awards were announced recently by the Mississippi Arts Commission, which coordinates the awards program.

The winners will accept their awards at the 14th annual ceremony at 2 p.m. Friday, Feb. 15 in the House Chamber of the Old Capitol Museum in Jackson.

"The awards recognize those who have made extraordinary contributions to the artistic and cultural life in Mississippi and beyond," said Tim Hedgepeth, executive director.

"These individuals and institutions are much more than award winners. Through their dedicated work, they show us how our schools and communities are made stronger through the arts."

Award categories and the number of recipients vary annually at the discretion of the judges.

Judges for the 2002 awards are Patty Hall, Hattiesburg, executive director of the Hattiesburg Arts Council; Lester Senter, Jackson, mezzo-soprano and winner of the 2001 Artist's Achievement Award; Theo Inman

Vaughey, Jackson, costume designer and arts patron; and Bernard Williams, Chicago, painter and instructor of art at The School of the Art Institute of Chicago.

Mississippi Governor Ronnie Musgrove will speak at the ceremony and present the awards. Artist William Dunlap, who received a Governor's Award for Excellence in the Arts in 1991, will again serve as master of ceremonies, as he has since 1992.

The program is free and open to the public.

Each year the award features the work of a Mississippi artist. This year's winners will receive 16-inch glass sculptures designed and constructed by Elizabeth Robinson of Jackson.

The commemorative poster was designed by Vidal Blankenstein and features photography by Tom Joynt highlighting an intarsia (inlaid) marble top pedestal table, circa 1830, which graces the Front Rose Parlor of the historic Mississippi Governor's Mansion.

The ceremony will include performances by some of the winners, as well as other Mississippi musicians.

Dr. Stephen E. Ambrose is a distinguished historian and acclaimed author of more than 20 books. Among

his New York Times best-sellers are *Citizen Soldiers*, *Band of Brothers*, *D-Day June 6, 1944: The Climactic Battle of WWII* and *Undaunted Courage*.

His most recent book, *Nothing Like It in the World: The Men Who Built The Transcontinental Railroad 1863-1869*, topped the New York Times Bestseller list its first week out.

Ambrose is a retired Boyd Professor of History at the University of New Orleans. He is the Director Emeritus of the Eisenhower Center in New Orleans and is the founder of the National D-Day Museum.

He is a contributing editor for the *Quarterly Journal of Military History*, a member of the board of directors, for American Rivers and a member of the

Lewis and Clark Bicentennial Council board.

He was the historical consultant for Steven Spielberg's movie *Saving Private Ryan*. Spielberg and Torn Hanks purchased the film rights to his books *Citizen Soldiers* and *Band of Brothers*, and are executive producers of the HBO miniseries, "Band of Brothers," which debuted in September 2001.

Ambrose has also participated in numerous national television programs, working with the History Channel and National Geographic.

He and his son, Hugh Ambrose, are currently conducting research for a new book entitled *Citizen Soldiers of the Pacific*, dealing with the Pacific Theater of WWII.

**Need A ROOF?**

**FOREMAN PROFESSIONAL ROOFING**

Now serving all your roofing needs!

Free estimates within 24 hours

**228-463-9912**

Licensed • Bonded Insured

**Palace in the Pass**

Beachfront Mansion  
401 E. Scenic, Pass Christian, MS  
228-452-1123

Available for your Wedding Ceremonies, Receptions and Parties  
Last minute bookings welcomed  
Call today for a free tour.  
www.palaceinthepass.com MC/Visa

### NOTICE OF PUBLIC WORKSHOP MEETING CITY OF WAVELAND

Please take notice that the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, at their regular meeting of February 5, 2002, have called a Workshop Meeting of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen to be held on Tuesday, February 11, 2002 at 5:00 PM. in the City of Waveland Annex Building Board Room, 307 Coleman Avenue, to discuss the following matters:

1. Redistricting in the City of Waveland, as ordered by the U.S. Justice Department

No other items will be discussed or acted upon.

Lisa B. Planchard  
City Secretary

## Great Books discussion group to meet at library

The next Great Books discussion group meeting will be Wednesday, Feb. 13 at 7 p.m. in the Seal Meeting Room of the Bay St. Louis-Hancock County Library.

The group is currently studying the volume, *The Art of the Story*. The readings for this session will be *Everything in This Country Must* by Colum McCann and *Pomography* by Ian McEwan.

Sponsored by the Hancock County Library System, the discussion group began in March, 1990. Since that time, members have read more than 345 titles and they have completed 110 readings from great books (Plato, Hobbes, Locke deTocqueville), Mississippi fiction, play readings and 20 philosophical questions.

The group meets every other Wednesday at 7 p.m.

The Great Books Foundation was established in 1947 by University of Chicago Chancellor Robert Maynard Hutchins. Its mission is to provide people of all ages, backgrounds and walks of life with the opportunity to read, discuss and learn from outstanding works of literature.

Today, more than 20,000 adults are members of Great Books discussion groups, and nearly one million students participate in Junior Great Books groups for grades kindergarten through 12.

Anyone is welcome to attend the meetings. The only requirement is that you read the selection before the meeting. For information, call David Woodburn at 467-5282.

**TITLE LOANS Best Title Loans**

We Hold The Title ... YOU

**467-7777** Keep The Vehicle!

1248-B HWY 90 • NEXT TO BEST PAWN & JEWELRY • BAY ST. LOUIS



IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, SUGGESTIONS, OR CONCERNS  
FEEL FREE TO CALL  
**YOUR STATE SENATOR  
SCOTTIE CUEVAS**  
DIST.#46  
255-2639

**2002 IN 2002**

**\$2002 WITH 5.9% FINANCING**

Factory Rebates On Every New Chevrolet In Stock!

**2002 BUICK RENDEZVOUS**  
3.4L V6, AT, ISO Pkg, Pwr Driver's Seat, Alum Wheels, Traction Control, 3rd Row Seat stk#2200  
**\$21,998\***

**2002 CHEVY C1500 EXT-CAB SILVERADO**  
4300 SFI Engine, AT w/ Ton Haul, 40/20/40 Bench Seat stk#6177  
**\$18,995\***

**2001 GMC SAVANA SLT VAN**  
7 Passenger Seating, 2 Overhead TV's, VCR, Infrared Headphones, Leather Interior, Rear Heat  
**\$7,000 LOADED!**

**2002 CHEVY CORVETTE CONVERTIBLE**  
**\$15,199\***

**2002 PONTIAC GRAND AM**  
2.2L MFI 4Cyl, Auto Trans, Cruise, stk#3412  
**\$15,199\***

**PLUS \$2002 REBATE\***

**THE ONLY DEALS WE DON'T MAKE ARE THE ONES WE DON'T KNOW ABOUT!!**

**Your Gulf Coast USED CAR HEADQUARTERS**

99 GMC Z71 EXTRA CAB V8, Auto, AC, All Power, Loaded, 1 Owner <b>\$15,988</b>	98 PONTIAC SUNFIRE COUPE Auto, AC, Loaded, "51,000" Miles, 1 Owner <b>\$5,777</b>	01 CHEVY 1500 HD CREW CAB V8, Auto, AC, Leather, CD, "LT" Pkg "14,000" Miles, Loaded <b>\$25,878</b>	01 CHEVY S-10 EXTRA CAB V8, Auto, AC, Tilt, Cruise, AM/FM CD, Alloys, "8,700" Miles <b>\$7,988</b>	00 RANGER FLARESIDE Loaded, SUPER SHARP!! <b>\$7,988</b>	99 F250 S/C LARIAT V8, Auto, AC, All Power, Leather, Super Clean! "26,000" Miles <b>\$15,878</b>	01 GMC SONOMA CREW CAB 4X4 V6, Auto, AC, All Power, "2,100" Miles <b>\$18,988</b>
00 FORD F250 S/C XLT "Diesel Power Stroke" Auto, AC, All Power, AM/FM CD/Cass, Loaded <b>\$19,878</b>	01 PONTIAC FIREBIRD CONVERTIBLE V6, Auto, AC, All Power <b>\$17,877</b>	<b>DEAL OF THE WEEK!</b> 01 CORVETTE CONVERTIBLE Auto, Leather, CD & More! "8,800" Miles, Millennium Yellow <b>BIG SAVINGS!</b>		00 LINCOLN LS 4 DOOR V8, Auto, Power, Everything, Leather, "26,000" Miles <b>\$23,878</b>	02 BUICK REGAL 4DR V6, Auto, All Power, Leather, Loaded <b>\$17,977</b>	
01 BUICK CENTURY 4DR V6, Auto, AC, All Power <b>\$12,644</b>	98 FORD WINDSTAR V6, Auto, AC, PS, PB, Stereo <b>\$6,988</b>	97 GMC YUKON SLT V8, Auto, Power, Everything, Loaded <b>\$11,888</b>	99 GMC SUBURBAN SLE V8, Auto, Dual AC, All Power <b>\$16,988</b>	99 TOYOTA CAMRY LE 4DR Auto, AC, All Power <b>\$11,878</b>	96 LEXUS ES300 4DR V6, Auto, AC, All Power, Leather and More! <b>\$13,688</b>	00 TOYOTA AVALON V6, Auto, AC, Power, Everything, 1 Owner, Local Trade In <b>\$19,988</b>

**DeRUSSY Motors**  
Bay/Waveland, Miss.

**Hwy 603 • Waveland**  
Harrison Co. Bay Area  
**864-3504 467-6521**

Shop our huge inventory @ [www.derussymotors.com](http://www.derussymotors.com)

## Obituaries

**CHRIS ARNOS**  
**ELDON FALGOUT SR.**  
**JOSEPH GILBERT**  
**CHARLES HAMLIN**  
**ASHLEE HIBBENS**  
**JOEL HIBBENS**  
**O. JOHNSON**  
**MURTHON LADNER**  
**VERA MISTLER**  
**JIMMY MORRIS**  
**EDNA LOTT STAUB**  
**NELLIE STERRETT**

**CHRIS ARNOS**  
 John "Chris" Arnos, 79, of Diamondhead, died Friday, February 8, 2002, in Diamondhead.

Arrangements are incomplete at Edmond Fahey Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis.

**ELDON FALGOUT SR.**  
 Eldon Roy Falgout, Sr., 78, of Bay St. Louis, died Thursday, Feb. 7, 2002, in Gulfport.

Mr. Falgout was a native of Taft, La. and a longtime resident of New Orleans before moving to Bay St. Louis in 1984. He was a member of Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church in Bay St. Louis and was a veteran of the U.S. Navy serving in World War II. He was a former member of American Legion Post 139, Bay St. Louis and the VFW Post 3253, Bay St. Louis.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Victor and Emily Brady Falgout Sr.; brothers Victor Falgout Jr., Harold Falgout Sr. and Daniel Falgout.

Survivors include his wife, Helen Keller Falgout of Bay St. Louis; sons Eldon Falgout Jr. of Kiln and Lonnie Falgout Sr. of Bay St. Louis; daughters Rachelle F. Champagne of Barboursville, Va., Allison Truxillo of Port Allen, La., and Ila Jean Clark of Olathe, Kan.; brothers Coral Falgout of Norco, La. and Reed Falgout of Hahnville, La.; sisters Adelaide Tarullo of Albany, La. and Sylvia Louviere of Paradis, La.; 13 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Visitation was Saturday at Edmond Fahey Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis followed by a prayer service in the funeral home chapel and interment in Mississippi Gulf Coast Memorial Cemetery & Mausoleum in Bay St. Louis.

**JOSEPH GILBERT**  
 Joseph Anthony Gilbert, 90, of Bay St. Louis, died Thursday, Jan. 17, 2002, in Bay St. Louis.

Mr. Gilbert was a retired

tile setter. He was a native of New Orleans and a resident of Bay St. Louis for the past 30 years.

Survivors include his longtime companion, Ruth Mo; sons Terrence L. Gilbert and Joseph Anthony Gilbert, Jr.; a daughter, Fay Gilbert Larose; three grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Services were private. Riemann Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis was in charge of arrangements.

**CHARLES HAMLIN**  
 Charles E. Hamlin, 50, of Kiln, died Thursday, February 7, 2002, at Kiln.

His body was sent from the Edmond Fahey Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis to McMillan Funeral Home in Booneville for services and burial.

**ASHLEE HIBBENS**  
 Ashlee Cassandra Hibbens, 4, of Picayune, died Monday, Feb. 4, 2002, in Picayune.

She was preceded in death by her father, Joel Hibbens.

Survivors include her mother, Vicky Molero Hibbens of Picayune; grandparents Anthony and Wilma Stella Molero of Poplarville, Cassie Wilson Scott of Clinton, Ind. and Michael and Rosie Hibbens of Morton, Ill.; and brother Cody James Hibbens of Picayune.

Visitation was Friday at L.S. Muhleisen and Son Funeral Home in Kenner. Services were conducted Saturday in the funeral home chapel followed by burial in Jefferson Memorial Gardens in St. Rose, La.

Riemann Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis was in charge of local arrangements.

**JOEL HIBBENS**  
 Joel Hibbens, 28, of Picayune, died Monday, Feb. 4, 2002, in Picayune.

He was preceded in death by his daughter, Ashlee Hibbens; brother Scott Michael Hibbens; and a sister, Sarah Amber Hibbens.

Survivors include his wife, Vicky Molero Hibbens of Picayune; his parents, Cassie Wilson Scott of Clinton, Ind., Michael and Rosie Hibbens of Morton, Ill. and Nancy Bailey of Lexington, Ill.; a son, Cody James Hibbens of Picayune; grandparents Mr. and Mrs. William Dowell of Shepardsville, Ind. and Norma Wilson of Terre Haute, Ind.; brother

Michael "Ricky" Hibbens of Lexington; and sisters Michelle Hibbens of Lexington and Kristyn Walters of Terre Haute.

Visitation was Friday at L. A. Muhleisen & Son Funeral Home in Kenner. Services were conducted Saturday in the funeral home chapel followed by burial in Jefferson Memorial Gardens in St. Rose, La.

Riemann Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis was in charge of local arrangements.

**O. JOHNSON**  
 Oleander J. Johnson, age unavailable, died Wednesday, Feb. 6, 2002, in DeLisle. Services are pending at Lockett-Williams' Mortuary Inc. in Gulfport.

**MURTHON LADNER**  
 Murthon A. Ladner, 64, of Kiln, MS., died Monday, February 4, 2001, in Miami Florida. He was a horse trainer.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Izetta and Horace Ladner, brother, Winston Ladner and sister, Alfreda Ladner Monus.

Survivors include brothers, Ferrell Ladner of Long Beach, MS., Pat Ladner of Dedeaux Community, and Chalford Ladner of Kiln; sisters, Irma Reese of Long Beach, Sylvia Prictor of Ohio, Virnita Mountain of San Antonio, TX., Betty Ames of Denver, CO., Tecia Ladner of Mobile AL., Janice Dedeaux of Sellers Community, and Thelma Mulvihill of San Jose, CA.

Visitation will be held Tuesday, Feb. 12, at Riemann Funeral Home Chapel, Bay St. Louis at 1 p.m. Burial will follow at Aphonse Malley. Riemann Funeral Home, Bay St. Louis is in charge of arrangements.

**VERA MISTLER**



Vera Cecile Mehaffey Blaize Mistler, 81, died February 8, 2002, at her home in Long Beach.

She was born in Bay St. Louis and attended St. Joseph's Academy. She was employed by Hancock County Hospital and Headstart of Hancock County. She was previously

married to James Lawrence Mehaffey and Osmond Alphonse Blaize and Edward Mistler.

He was preceded in death by her parents Louis J. Banteret and Elise Perre Banderet, and her husband Edward J. Mistler.

Mrs. Mistler is survived by a daughters, Patricia A. Mehaffey of Kenner, LA. and Cheryl Blaize Gascon of Long Beach; sons Osmond S. Blaize, Long Beach, John Mistler and Louis Mistler, both of Cincinnati, OH; seven grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

A visitation will be held Monday, Feb. 11, from noon to 2 p.m. followed by the Mass of Christian burial at Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church, Bay St. Louis. Interment will follow at Cedar Rest Cemetery, Bay St. Louis.

Edmond Fahey Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis is in charge of the arrangements.

**JIMMY MORRIS**  
 Jimmy "T.J." Jerome Morris, 53, of Bay St. Louis, died Wednesday, Feb. 6, 2002, in Gulfport.

Mr. Morris was born in Greenville, Miss. and had been a resident of the Gulf Coast for 12 years. He was a U.S. Army veteran of the Vietnam War and was a retired tugboat captain on the Mississippi River.

He was preceded in death by his father, Jimmy M. Morris, and a brother, Kyle T. Morris.

Survivors include his wife, Stephanie "Sissy" Morris of Bay St. Louis; daughters Yvonne Morris of Brandon, Miss. and Tonya M. Scott of North Carolina; stepdaughters Sara Dawn Wagner and Seline Danielle Nixon, both of Bay St. Louis; a stepson, Travis Eugene Nixon of Bay St. Louis; his mother, Jerri Evans Morris; two sisters, Dawn Burns of Jackson, Miss. and Melonie Craft of Biloxi; and five grandchildren.

Visitation will be today, Feb. 10, 5-8 p.m. at Bradford-O'Keefe Funeral Home in Gulfport. Funeral services will be conducted Monday at 10:30 a.m. in the funeral home chapel. Burial will be in Biloxi National Cemetery.

**EDNA LOTT STAUB**  
 Edna Lott Staub, 94, of Kiln, died Wednesday, Feb. 6, 2002, in Saucier, Miss.

Mrs. Staub was a native and lifelong resident of Kiln before moving to Diamondhead 10 years ago. She was a member of Annunciation Catholic Church in Kiln. She and her husband lived in New Orleans for many years

and her close companion for the past five years, her great-niece Lora Wilson of Long Beach; numerous great-nieces and nephews.

Visitation was Saturday

at Edmond Fahey Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis followed by a prayer service and interment in Mississippi Gulf Coast Memorial Cemetery & Mausoleum in Bay St. Louis.

The family prefers memorials to St. Vincent de Paul Society of Annunciation Catholic Church, P.O. Box 97, Kiln, MS 39556.

**NELLIE STERRETT**  
 Nellie Sterrett, 85, of Bay St. Louis, died Friday, Feb. 8, 2002, in Bay St. Louis.

Arrangements are incomplete at the Edmond Fahey

Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis.

**J. Hunter Phillips, III, M.D., F.A.C.P.**

Dermatology & Dermatologic Cosmetic Surgery

Diplomate, American Board of Dermatology

We have moved our office to:

849 Hwy. 90

Bay St. Louis

Entrance next to Hancock Medical Center Emergency Room

466-0263

2541 Pass Rd. Suite E

Biloxi

549-9904



**THE CENTER FOR EYE CARE**

George Thurber, M.D.  
 & David Judge, M.D.

• Comprehensive Eye Care • Glasses or Contacts  
 • Laser Vision Correction

335 Shieldsboro Square • Bay St. Louis

228-463-9944

*Denture Art*

Elegantly Capture  
 Your Natural  
 Smile



Economic to Premium  
 452-0700

Prices from \$265

Dr. Thomas Drake  
 126 Henderson Ave.,  
 Pass Christian

Listing of the previously mentioned areas of practice do not indicate any certification of expertise therein



Matt Capo, P.T.  
 owner

**Accelerated Physical Therapy  
 & Occupational Health, Inc.**

Locally Owned & Operated

The only physical therapy clinic  
 owned & operated by a  
 Hancock County resident.

**Medicare & Most Insurance Accepted**

833 Hwy 90, Suite 2 • (228) 463-9030  
 Bay St. Louis

Mon-Fri 7:30 am - 7:00 pm • Sat. appointments available

## Valentine's to highlight libraries' story hours

"Happy Valentine's Day" will be the theme for the story hour at the Bay St.

Louis-Hancock County Library on Wednesday, Feb. 13, at 10:30 a.m.

*Arthur's Great Big Valentine* and *Bee My Valentine* will be the books read during the program. Susan Daigre, program coordinator, will assist the children in making their own Valentines.

"Happy Valentine's Day" will also be the theme for the children's story hour at the Kiln Public Library on Thursday, Feb. 14, at 10:30

a.m. *Little Mouse's Valentine*, *A Village Full of Valentines* and *Dinosaur Valentines* are the books to be read during the program. Children will make their own Valentine butterfly. Weekly story hours are held September through May. Programs last approximately one half hour, depending upon subject matter and planned activity.

Programs and activities are designed for pre-school age children three to five years old who are not part of a nursery or pre-school group. For individual branch story hour information, contact Adrienne Bradley, Bay St. Louis-Hancock County Library, 467-5282; or Sandra Ladner, Kiln Public Library, 255-1724.

### Happy Birthday



**MARK LOTT**  
 Feb. 10, 1952 - July 20, 2000

On the wings of death  
 the soul takes flight,  
 into the land where  
 there is no night.  
 For those who believe  
 what the Savior said,  
 will rise in glory though  
 they be dead...  
 So death comes to us  
 just to "Open the Door"  
 To the kingdom of God  
 and life evermore.

We Love You,  
 Mary Lou & children  
 Nanny & family

### In Loving Memory of Hazel Bazzelle

Feb. 11, 1946 - June 7, 2000

I am thinking of  
 you today,  
 Thinking of the past;  
 Picturing you in  
 memory;  
 Just as I saw you  
 last.

Sadly missed by,  
 Belinda, Michael,  
 Morris, Linda,  
 Gordon, Morris Jr.,  
 & grandchildren.

## Governor brings 'One on One' to the Gulf Coast

Governor Ronnie Musgrove will be bringing his "One on One with the Governor" program to the Mississippi Gulf Coast on Wednesday, Feb. 13.

Musgrove will be meeting individually with citizens at the Gulfport Chamber of Commerce, 1401 20th Avenue in Gulfport.

"For two years now, I've met directly with the people of Mississippi in my office on the second Wednesday of every month," Musgrove said.

"This is an opportunity to take my office out of the Capitol, move it to the Gulf Coast and meet with people who want to discuss issues directly with me."

Meetings with Governor Musgrove last for five minutes. Reservations for meetings must be made between 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. on Wednesday, Feb. 13, at the Gulfport Chamber. Governor Musgrove will be available for "One on One" meetings beginning at 4 p.m.

**WALK-INS WELCOME**

**KILN**



**HANCOCK FAMILY CARE CENTER**

Hwy 16230 Suite G 255-5200

(Next to the Post Office)

**PEARLINGTON**



**HANCOCK MEDICAL SERVICES**

3068 Port & Harbor Drive 533-9000

(Near entrance to Port Bienville Industrial Park)

# BUSINESS NEWS

## Peoples Bank promotes officers

The Peoples Bank has announced the promotion of the following officers:

### Minh-Tuyet Nguyen Security Officer

Nguyen has been with The Peoples Bank since 1983 and worked in book-keeping, various branches, and a supervisor of the Teller Department.

She has completed numerous courses and seminars, including Advance Bank Security Officer School at Duke University, Durham.

### Patrick Wild Vice-President and Pass Christian Branch Manager

Wild has been in banking for 17 years and with Peoples since 1988. He is a graduate of St. Stanislaus High School, University of Southern Mississippi with a business administration degree, Mississippi School of Banking and Southeastern School of Advanced Commercial Lending.

Wild is also the former president of the Rotary Club of Diamondhead, treasurer of the Diamondhead Business and Professionals Association, board of directors for Hancock County Chamber of Commerce, and the treasurer of Pass Christian Isles Golf Club.

He currently serves on the board of directors for the Pass Christian Chamber of Commerce.

### Rebecca Trocheset-Williams Assistant Auditor

Williams has been with The Peoples Bank for 16 years, with a total of 17 years in banking. She is a graduate from the Mississippi School of Banking, and has completed several business/banking classes at Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College.

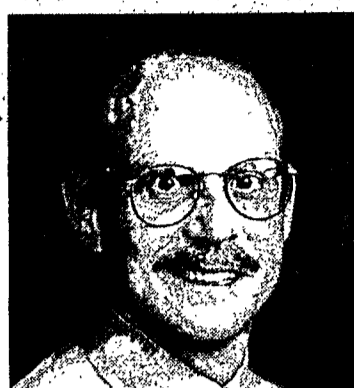
She attended two years of Cannon Financial Institute Trust Operations school at Notre Dame University in South Bend, Ind.

She is a volunteer mentor at Jeff Davis Elementary School in Biloxi, and has served the past two years on the D'Iberville Little League Board.

### Kathy Crabtree Supervisor Asset Management and Trust Services

Crabtree has been in banking for 21 years, with The Peoples Bank since 1993. She has held different positions with the bank including the corporate trust and operations.

Crabtree moved to the Coast from Jackson in 1992, where she worked in sav-



Patrick Wild



Minh Nguyen



Rebecca Williams



Kathy Crabtree

### Jan Smitherman Assistant Vice President of Employee Benefits

Smitherman was graduated from the University of Southern Mississippi with a bachelor of science degree in business administration.

She is also a graduate of the Mississippi School of Banking. Smitherman began her banking career with the Peoples Bank in 1991 as an executive secretary.

She was promoted to supervisor of administra-



Jan Smitherman

tion in 1993, administrative officer in 1995 and transferred to employee benefits officer in 1999.

**S & L Office Supplies, Inc.**  
2442 McLaurin St., Waveland, MS 39576  
228-467-0002 • FAX 228-467-0034

Pay Your Bell South Phone Bill At ... **BEST PAWN** 1248-B HWY 90 NEXT TO POST OFFICE BAY ST. LOUIS

## STOCKS OF LOCAL INTEREST CLOSE FRIDAY 2-8-02

COMPANY/SYMBOL	LAST PRICE	WEEKLY CHANGE
ALCAN ALUM/AL	37.41	- .91
AT & T/T	16.35	- .98
AUTOZONE INC/AZO	65.18	- 1.93
BELLSOUTH/BLS	39.20	- .50
BOEING/BA	41.70	+ .24
CALGON CARBON/CCC	7.98	+ .17
CHEVRON /CVX	81.85	-3.521
COCA COLA/KO	45.85	+ .17
CSX CORP/CSX	37.56	- 2.13
DUPONT/DD	42.72	- .86
GENERAL ELEC/GE	37.25	+ .40
GOODYEAR TIRE/GT	23.46	- .23
HANCOCK HOLDING CO/HBHC	48.26	+ 1.22
INTL BUSINESS MACHINE/IBM	104.99	- 3.01
INTL PAPER CO/IP	41.99	+ .22
K MART CORP/KM	.99	- .56
LOCKHEED MARTIN/LMT	54.38	+ 1.95
PARK PLACE ENT/PPE	9.10	- .63
PEN NATL GAMING/PENN	30.70	- 1.25
PEOPLES FINANCIAL /PFBX	12.95	- .55
MCDONALDS CORP/MCD	26.72	+ .09
MIRANT/ MIR	9.92	- 1.12
REGIONS FINANCIAL/RGBR	31.21	- .08
ROCKWELL INTL CORP/ROK	17.99	- .78
SOUTHERN COMPANY/SO	24.99	+ .34
UNION PLANTERS/UPC	44.87	- .08
WAL MART STORES/WMT	59.15	- .11
WELLMAN INC/WLM	13.58	- .02
WHITNEY HOLDING/WTNY	46.07	+ 1.35

Submitted by Craig Foster, Edward Jones Co.

## Rear Adm. Barbor nominated to International Hydrographic Organization Directing Committee

The director of The University of Southern Mississippi's Hydrographic Science Research Center is the U.S. nominee to an international panel that supports maritime navigation safety and protects the marine environment.

Retired Rear Adm. Kenneth Barbor was nominated to the International Hydrographic Organization Directing Committee in action approved by U.S. Secretary of State Colin Powell in December.

Barbor has served as director of the USM center at Stennis Space Center since February 2001, following his retirement from active naval service in November 2000.

He was appointed as the U.S. candidate for elections

to be conducted April 19 among the 60 member nations at the 15th International Hydrographic Conference in Monaco. If elected, he would be one of three directors to govern the intergovernmental consultative and technical organization established in 1921.

Barbor's 28-year career in the U.S. Navy culminated with his assignment as commander, Naval Meteorology and Oceanography Command, where he directed the Navy's operational hydrography, oceanography and meteorology activities. He is a graduate of the University of Michigan, and holds a master's degree in meteorology and oceanography from the Naval Postgraduate School.

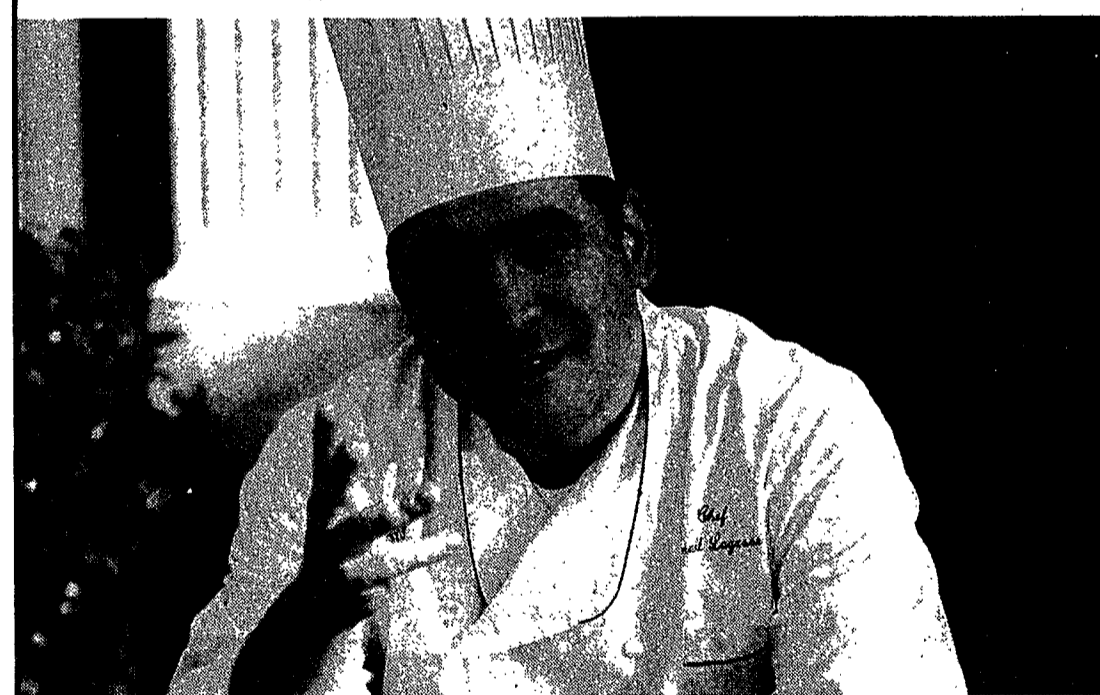
Created to develop and

broaden ocean charting and navigation technology, USM's Hydrographic Science Research Center complements the university's master's degree program in hydrographic science by implementing new research in cutting-edge methods. The program involves a unique partnership between USM and the U.S. Navy.

The research center is one component of USM's Department of Marine Science, which offers both master's and doctoral programs in marine science as well as high-quality basic and applied research programs in marine science, oceanography, hydrography and numerical ocean modeling. The department is part of the USM College of

Marine Sciences headquartered in Ocean Springs. The college has locations in all three Mississippi coastal counties.

**When you need money for your business, there's one person who always says yes.**



### You! When you've got a Whitney Business Edge Line of Credit.

Chef Emeril Lagasse here, for Whitney Bank. I'm a chef, but I'm a businessman, too. And I know you can't always see around every corner when you're running a business. Sometimes you need cash in a pinch. With a Whitney Business Edge Line of Credit, you can just pull out your checkbook, write yourself a loan and BAM! You're on your way to success. If you've got a pen, you've got the loan.\* It doesn't take a rocket scientist to figure out that the Whitney's Business Edge Line of Credit is how you manage cash flow.

It's cash on hand for emergencies, for working capital, or to take advantage of a great business opportunity that just popped up. You can even tie it into your business checking account and use it for overdraft protection. And it's revolving, so when you pay down the balance you can use those funds again. Piece of cake! Call your Whitney banker at 800-681-9015 and apply today.

### Business Edge Line of Credit

- From \$10,000 to \$100,000!
- Easy 24 hour access to funds
- Secured or unsecured
- Flexible repayment

United We Stand

\*Up to available credit limit.

**WHITNEY**  
whitneybank.com

Member FDIC. Normal credit criteria apply.

## Credit union announces promotions

Lisa Lindsey, president and CEO of the Gulf Coast Community Federal Credit Union, announced the following promotions at the \$40 million financial cooperative headquartered in Gulfport.

Tracy Arnold has been promoted to vice president of member services. Arnold, who has been employed at the credit union since 1997, most recently worked as AVP of member services.

As vice president of member services, she will be responsible for managing all operations in the financial institution's four branch offices.

Arnold will work out of the credit union's Orange Grove branch on Highway 49 just south of O'Neal Road in Gulfport.

Tammy Barrett has been promoted to vice president of finance. Barrett has been employed with the credit

union since 2001 and previously worked as AVP of finance.

She is responsible for managing all aspects of the credit union's accounting systems. Barrett will work out of the credit union's main office branch on Pass Road at Hewes Avenue in Gulfport.

Dorothy Necaise has been promoted to vice president of loan services. Necaise, who previously worked as AVP of loan services, has been employed with the credit union since 1985.

As vice president of loan services, Necaise will oversee all of the credit union's lending operations, including the institution's credit card, collections and loan call center departments. She will work out of the credit union's Orange Grove branch office.

The Gulf Coast

Community Federal Credit Union, originally chartered in 1935, received approval to offer community credit union services in 1999.

The credit union currently serves approximately 15,000 members in Harrison and Hancock County and employs 36 people at four locations in Gulfport, Bay St. Louis and Biloxi.

Call or stop by today for the  
**investments  
you need**  
and the  
**excellent  
service  
you deserve.**

**Ron Weatherly**  
137 A Hwy 90  
Waveland, MS 39576  
228-467-6869  
www.edwardjones.com  
**Edward Jones**  
Serving Individual Investors Since 1871  
Member SIPC

**REGARDLESS OF YOUR PAST CREDIT, YOU COULD DRIVE TODAY!**  
**Call Now 24hrs.**  
**1-800-444-9633**  
**REBUILD YOUR CREDIT TODAY!**  
**ADVANCED CREDIT REBUILDING SYSTEM**

## SPORTS

## SSC proves that bigger is not always better

BY JOSEPH W. GEX II  
Staff Writer

This is the first part of a four-part series that will include stories on Hancock, Bay High, Pass Christian, and OLA.

Many people said that this year was supposed to be a "rebuilding" year for the St. Stanislaus Rock-a-chaw basketball team. Some said that they were a .500 team at best. Well, one thing is for sure, they forgot tell the 2001-02 Rock-a-chaw basketball players that. The Rocks have taken some of the things that people were saying and used them as motivation on the hardwood this season.

SSC currently sports a 25-6 record and a #2-seed heading into the Division 8 Class 4A tournament that is being held at Gautier High School February 11-15. They have accomplished this with three things - attitude, perseverance, and dedication. These same three qualities are exhibited by their head coach Jay Ladner, now in his 11th season at the school.

Despite losing their starting five players and the first man off the bench, the Rocks have persevered in

Class 4A this season. The Rocks also are standing tall in 2002 despite the fact that they sport one of the smallest lineups in the state at any level.

Adding to the fact that neither of the players had any starting varsity experience prior to this year, they give up several inches at each position every time on the court. SSC does not start a person over 6' tall. Yet, they persevere.

Gabe Willis, a junior point guard, stands at 5'4". Darius Acker, a sophomore shooting guard, towers over Willis at 5'7". Sean Benoit, a senior guard, stands 5'8". And, the menacing front line of Cheick Sanankoua and Robert Smith stretch the sticks at 5'11" and 6', respectively. With that lineup, the Rocks certainly aren't going to look over anyone, but their opponents better like to run - a whole lot!

SSC head coach Jay Ladner commented, "Their size disadvantage goes back to last season. They learned as understudies to last year's seniors who took it as a challenge. This team makes up for being small by working harder on their

preparation and being tougher than the other team on the court."

SSC has utilized their team quickness to their advantage. They play an up-tempo style of basketball and in-your-face defense for 32 minutes. Willis leads the team in scoring with 14 points and four assists per game. Acker pours in 13 points and three assists a game while Sanankoua adds 12 points and six rebounds a contest. Benoit contributes seven points and three boards a game. Smith posts five in each category a game. Several bench players like Brian Butler, Brent Acker, Joshua Washington, Ben Benvenuti, Brett Ammond, Mario Faranda, and Zack Mellon have also contributed heavily to the success of the Rocks this season.

Their glove-like defense puts a clamp on any style offense. The Rocks held the #1-ranked Gulfport Admirals to 33 points below their season average in their 55-32 loss a short while back. Defense is an area where the Rocks flourish. They are quick enough to run with anyone and play

just as smart. A trait that has been instilled over time by Ladner.

It took a tremendous amount of attitude and dedication to overcome their lack of varsity game experience to get where the Rocks are today. Mississippi Association of Coaches Hall of Fame member and Professor Emeritus of the University of Southern Mississippi's Department of Coaching and Sports Administration J. Larry Ladner stated, "I am amazed at the tremendous progress that they have made since the end of last season."

"They have truly performed in the Rock-a-chaw tradition. Especially, in view of the fact, that they graduated their first six players from last year's outstanding varsity and returned no player with starting varsity experience."

That type of attitude and play didn't just develop overnight. It is something that has been instilled in them by Jay Ladner since they started playing in his program. Hancock boys head basketball coach Michael Ladner stated, "The way SSC plays is a

tribute to Jay Ladner and what a great job he is doing at St. Stanislaus. His teams are always prepared and it shows in their play."

There are many outsiders who may ask the proverbial question "Do they play anybody?" The answer is "Yes." The Rocks always maintain a high level of difficulty in their schedule. The reasoning is if a team wants to be the best, then the team has to beat the best. SSC plays #1 ranked Gulfport, defending 5A state champion and #7 ranked Biloxi, 5A member Moss Point, Pass Christian, and several top teams from Louisiana year in and year out. It has become second nature to the Rocks that they are never out of a game.

SSC has a tradition of winning teams dating way back to its earliest beginnings in 1915 through 2001 and Jay Ladner has emphasized that aspect to his teams. Ladner recalled, "The boys had a terrific summer program. They worked hard in the weight-room and got some great game experience with the summer league we played in. This team knew that they did not want to carry

the burden of being the team that did not win. Ladner stated that if someone wants to watch

Early in the season, the Rocks lost a 15-point lead and the game to Moss Point. However, Ladner and his team did not have to press the panic button. They knew it was a matter of focus and intensity for them. The Rocks went back to the drawing board after that game and have played more consistent ball since then.

Jay Ladner credits his senior leadership with the focus that the team has. Ladner stated, "Our six seniors have been a wonderful part of our basketball family. Brian Butler, Cheick Sanankoua, Sean Benoit, Brent Acker, and Chris Patterson have done an excellent job in promoting the traditions of SSC basketball and making sure that the younger ones know what it means to be a Rock-a-chaw."

Now, the Rocks are preparing for the opening of the Division 8 tournament. If they continue with their attitude, perseverance, and dedication all will fall into place.

## Simpkins signs with PRCC

BY JOSEPH W. GEX II  
Staff Writer

Bay High Tiger senior football player Michael Simpkins signed a National Letter of Intent to play football for the Pearl River Community College Wildcats on Wednesday, February 6.

Simpkins, a 6'3" 260-pound defensive tackle/tight end, is projected to play defensive line for the Wildcats. In 2001, Simpkins recorded 42 tackles and two fumble recoveries for Bay High. He added one interception and five quarterback sacks to the Tigers' defensive unit.

Simpkins helped lead the Tigers to a 7-5 overall record and their first playoff berth since the 1993 season. The Tigers also played in the 62nd annual Shrimp Bowl Classic in Biloxi against the St. Martin Yellow Jackets.

Simpkins played three years at defensive tackle and two years at tight end. Simpkins is also a



A proud Coach Glenn Williams looks on at Bay High School last week as defensive tackle/tight end Michael Simpkins signs a letter of intent to play football for Pearl River Community College.

standout forward on the Bay High Tiger basketball team that will enter Division 8 Class 4A tournament play on Monday, February 11 at Gautier High School.

Bay High head football coach Glenn Williams stated, "I think Michael Simpkins has the potential to develop into a top-rate defensive lineman at the junior college level."

## National senior women's tennis championships coming back to D'head

Diamondhead Tennis World will again host the USTA Senior Women's National Clay Court Championships in the 60's, 70's, and 80's categories.

Steve Garman, director of tennis, announced the dates for the tournament will be April 8-14. Entry forms must be received by Wednesday, March 20. Any player who needs an entry form should call Steve at (228) 255-5030.

Sponsorship packages are available to any business or corporation that wishes to support the tournament financially. To participate as a sponsor, call Steve at the number above or Al Cronvich, Diamondhead Tennis Committee chairman, at

255-1900.

Volunteer hosts are needed to house players as guests. Call Patty Hourin at (228) 255-1203. Last year 86 women from 27 states participated in the tournament. Mildred Southern, Winston-Salem, N.C. won the 80's singles; Suzanne Ryerson, Broadrun, Va., won the 70's singles; and Charlene Hillebrand, San Pedro, Calif., won the 60's singles.

The Diamondhead Merchants and the Old Town Bay St. Louis artists and merchants donated 68 prizes that were awarded at the players' dinner party and as door prizes at the matches each day.

The day-to-day running of the tournament will be

the responsibility of the Tournament Committee: Steve Garman, tournament referee; Betty Miller, tournament chairman; and Lisa Dickenson, tournament director. The Diamondhead Tennis Committee members this year are Al Cronvich, chairman, Steve and Marianne Garman, Linda, Williams, Lou De Long, Charles Bell, Brenda Hendrikson, Liz Wagner, Maio, Patty Hourin and Jinky Underwood.

Anyone wanting more information about the USTA Senior Women's National Clay Court Championships should call Diamondhead Tennis World at (228) 255-5030.

## Diamondhead Women's Golf results

Diamondhead Women's Golf Association Jan. 31 play day was an ABCD-2 Best Ball event.

The team of Amy Swint, Mitzi Lenz, Dee Chamberlin and Ann Adams took first place with a score of 123.

The second place team of Bonnie Rolfs, Liz Lake, Rose Stackhouse and Kathy Crouch shot 129.

In third place, with a score of 130, was the team of Corinne Ladner, Yvonne Luck, Debbie Cumberland and Alberta Alley.

Fourth place winners were Jo Webre, Maggie McMillan and Barbara Linville with a 12-under score of 132.

**BEST PAWN**  
Jewelry 434-7771  
bestpawn.com



## It's in there.

Who's getting married. When the church revival will be held. What's going on at the civic clubs. Just a few of the many questions answered by your trusty copy of your local newspaper. We've been around for years helping you get caught up with your community. And that's something of which we're very proud. Whether you're a fan of the Cook's page or enjoying perusing the classifieds for a good bargain, "It's In the Paper." And that's something that doesn't come very easily with the click of the remote or spin of the radio dial. So read your local newspaper, and let us bring the community home to you.

It's in the paper.

The Sea Coast Echo

124 Court St. • Bay St. Louis  
228-467-5474

www.mspress.org  
**press**  
Mississippi Press Association & Services

BY JOS  
St

The Be  
the sting  
Hornets  
February  
during th  
The Han  
the St. S  
chaws ca  
their Fri  
with DTI  
Central, 1

The L  
heartbrea  
the hon  
Hornets  
teams ba  
halftime  
Lady Tig  
early 11 p

Lady  
Debbie  
"We did  
ball well  
over way  
can't win  
happens.  
12 rebou  
have had  
position  
committe  
the game  
time of  
focus. W  
little thin

During  
both tear  
for-baske  
lead sev  
Poplarvil  
about 1  
Christy J  
free thro  
play and  
the rebo  
that gavi  
63 lead.  
Nikki Sn  
to make  
tatum  
Hornets  
while Nil  
with 15  
was led  
with 17  
Stephani  
points. T  
to 21-7  
ular sea  
seeded #  
Class 4A

During  
both tear  
for-baske  
lead sev  
Poplarvil  
about 1  
Christy J  
free thro  
play and  
the rebo  
that gavi  
63 lead.  
Nikki Sn  
to make  
tatum  
Hornets  
while Nil  
with 15  
was led  
with 17  
Stephani  
points. T  
to 21-7  
ular sea  
seeded #  
Class 4A

During  
both tear  
for-baske  
lead sev  
Poplarvil  
about 1  
Christy J  
free thro  
play and  
the rebo  
that gavi  
63 lead.  
Nikki Sn  
to make  
tatum  
Hornets  
while Nil  
with 15  
was led  
with 17  
Stephani  
points. T  
to 21-7  
ular sea  
seeded #  
Class 4A

During  
both tear  
for-baske  
lead sev  
Poplarvil  
about 1  
Christy J  
free thro  
play and  
the rebo  
that gavi  
63 lead.  
Nikki Sn  
to make  
tatum  
Hornets  
while Nil  
with 15  
was led  
with 17  
Stephani  
points. T  
to 21-7  
ular sea  
seeded #  
Class 4A

During  
both tear  
for-baske  
lead sev  
Poplarvil  
about 1  
Christy J  
free thro  
play and  
the rebo  
that gavi  
63 lead.  
Nikki Sn  
to make  
tatum  
Hornets  
while Nil  
with 15  
was led  
with 17  
Stephani  
points. T  
to 21-7  
ular sea  
seeded #  
Class 4A

During  
both tear  
for-baske  
lead sev  
Poplarvil  
about 1  
Christy J  
free thro  
play and  
the rebo  
that gavi  
63 lead.  
Nikki Sn  
to make  
tatum  
Hornets  
while Nil  
with 15  
was led  
with 17  
Stephani  
points. T  
to 21-7  
ular sea  
seeded #  
Class 4A

During  
both tear  
for-baske  
lead sev  
Poplarvil  
about 1  
Christy J  
free thro  
play and  
the rebo  
that gavi  
63 lead.  
Nikki Sn  
to make  
tatum  
Hornets  
while Nil  
with 15  
was led  
with 17  
Stephani  
points. T  
to 21-7  
ular sea  
seeded #  
Class 4A

During  
both tear  
for-baske  
lead sev  
Poplarvil  
about 1  
Christy J  
free thro  
play and  
the rebo  
that gavi  
63 lead.  
Nikki Sn  
to make  
tatum  
Hornets  
while Nil  
with 15  
was led  
with 17  
Stephani  
points. T  
to 21-7  
ular sea  
seeded #  
Class 4A

During  
both tear  
for-baske  
lead sev  
Poplarvil  
about 1  
Christy J  
free thro  
play and  
the rebo  
that gavi  
63 lead.  
Nikki Sn  
to make  
tatum  
Hornets  
while Nil  
with 15  
was led  
with 17  
Stephani  
points. T  
to 21-7  
ular sea  
seeded #  
Class 4A

During  
both tear  
for-baske  
lead sev  
Poplarvil  
about 1  
Christy J  
free thro  
play and  
the rebo  
that gavi  
63 lead.  
Nikki Sn  
to make  
tatum  
Hornets  
while Nil  
with 15  
was led  
with 17  
Stephani  
points. T  
to 21-7  
ular sea  
seeded #  
Class 4A

During  
both tear  
for-baske  
lead sev  
Poplarvil  
about 1  
Christy J  
free thro  
play and  
the rebo  
that gavi  
63 lead.  
Nikki Sn  
to make  
tatum  
Hornets  
while Nil  
with 15  
was led  
with 17  
Stephani  
points. T  
to 21-7  
ular sea  
seeded #  
Class 4A

During  
both tear  
for-baske  
lead sev  
Poplarvil  
about 1  
Christy J  
free thro  
play and  
the rebo  
that gavi  
63 lead.  
Nikki Sn  
to make  
tatum  
Hornets  
while Nil  
with 15  
was led  
with 17  
Stephani  
points. T  
to 21-7  
ular sea  
seeded #  
Class 4A

# SPORTS

## Bay stung by Hornets; HHS & SSC enter tourney on winning note

BY JOSEPH W. GEX II  
Staff Writer

The Bay High Tigers felt the sting of the Poplarville Hornets on Friday, February 8, in Poplarville during their Senior Night. The Hancock Hawks and the St. Stanislaus Rock-chaws came out winners in their Friday night games with D'Iberville and East Central, respectively.

The Lady Tigers lost a heartbreaker at the end to the homestanding Lady Hornets 67-63. The two teams battled to a 35-35 halftime mark after the Lady Tigers had built an early 11 point lead.

Lady Tiger head coach Debbie Triplett recalled, "We did not rebound the ball well at all and turned it over way too much. You can't win games when that happens. We missed about 12 rebounds that we should have had and played out of position all game. We also committed 18 turnovers in the game. This is not a good time of the year to lose focus. We are not doing the little things it takes to win."

During the second half both teams battled basket-for-basket and traded the lead several times before Poplarville got a break with about :28 left to play. Christy Tillman missed the free throw on a three-point play and Cicely Tatum got the rebound and putback that gave Poplarville a 65-63 lead. And, with :01 left, Nikki Smith scored a layup to make the final margin.

Tatum led the Lady Hornets with 18 points while Nikki Smith finished with 15 points. Bay High was led by Carmen Labat with 17 points followed by Stephanie Reed with 15 points. The Lady Tigers fall to 21-7 at the end of the regular season. Bay High is seeded #1 in the Division 8 Class 4A tournament next

week. Their first game will be Thursday, February 14, at 4pm against the winner of the East Central/Pass Christian game. The Poplarville Lady Hornets are also seeded #1 in their division tournament which starts on Monday in Stone County.

The Tigers ran into a runaway freight train on Friday night against the Poplarville Hornets and lost 105-71. The loss dropped the Tigers to 10-18 heading into the Division 8 Class 4A tournament next week.

Ethan Smith and Marcus Houston pumped in 50 points together as they found a shooting zone against the Tigers. Smith tallied 22 points while Houston ended the game with 29 points.

Poplarville jumped out to a 21-14 lead in the first period and extended that lead to 48-27 by halftime. During the second half, and especially the fourth period, is when Smith and Houston found a groove. Houston became king of the lane while Smith backed out into downtown Poplarville and drained the long ball.

Tiger mentor Danny Grievies stated, "Tonight was an exhibition in a lack of effort and poor team basketball. We need to be focused this time of the year and we are not. The players were not prepared to come in and play tonight and it showed."

The Tigers were led by Lorenzo Lewis with 12 points followed by Rudy Lymuel with 12 and Zack Nichols with 11 points. The Tigers will play their first round game in the Division 8 Class 4A tournament on Monday against Gautier.

The Hancock Hawks swept a pair of games from the visiting D'Iberville Warriors in Kiln on Friday night. The Hancock basket-

ball program also honored their seniors on both squads.

The Lady Hawks disposed of the Lady Warriors quickly 68-43 which allowed every player to log some minutes. This was a valuable tool this late in the season for the Lady Hawks. The Lady Hawks held a 41-19 lead over D'Iberville and cruised to the win in the second half. Kayla Stephenson led Hancock with 17 points followed by Amanda Arcement with 14 points.

Hancock pushed their overall record to 21-9 and are seeded #1 in their division tournament next week. The Lady Hawks will play on Tuesday, February 12, at 7pm against host Petal.

The boys team jumped out big and then held on to win 72-65 over the pesky Warriors. Hancock held a 34-25 advantage at intermission.

Hancock head coach Michael Ladner commented, "I thought we played well tonight. It showed a lot of character to get up on them only to see the lead slip away."

"But, the kids hung in there and fought hard to preserve the win. I am very proud of them for that. The underclassmen really hit the court hard to win this last home game for the six seniors on the team. Plus, this win is even sweeter because it ensures the program its first winning season since 1994."

The Hawks record now is 16-14 with the division tournament starting next week in Petal. The Hawks are seeded #2 in the tournament and will open with host school Petal on Tuesday at 8:30pm.

The St. Stanislaus Rock-chaws improved their record to 25-6 with a 71-58 win over the East Central

Hornets on the road.

Only four players scored for the Rocks and all were in double-digits. Darius Acker poured in 31 points followed by Cheick Sanankoua with 18 points. Brian Butler and Sean Benoit each added 11 points in the win.

The Rocks were without the services of starting point guard Gabe Willis who was out with an illness. SSC head coach Jay Ladner commented, "We started off strong and finished strong tonight. However, in between we did not play so well. But, this was some good experience for some younger players with Gabe Willis out of the lineup. It gave them a chance to log some important game experience. That will be helpful to us down the road."

The Rocks open the district tournament seeded #2 overall and will play D'Iberville at 5pm on Monday, February 11.

# Rock

ELECTRICAL PLUMBING SUPPLIES STAINLESS STEEL BOLTS & SCREWS

**HUBBARD'S WAVELAND HARDWARE**  
Helping You Do It Yourself Since 1953

**Valstar** since 1806

**HUBBARD'S HARDWARE**  
615 NICHOLSON • WAVELAND MONDAY - SATURDAY: 8AM-5PM

FREE COMPUTERIZED COLOR MATCHING  
**(228) 467-4494**

PIPE CUT THREADED LAMN & GARDEN SUPPLIES KEYS CUT

**Palace in the Pass** | Available for your Wedding Ceremonies, Receptions and Parties. First minute bookings welcomed. Call today for a free tour.

Beachfront Mansion  
401 E. Scenic, Pass Christian, MS  
228-452-1123

www.palaceinthepass.com MC/Visa

Car insurance with no State Farm Agent? I'm not that brave.

State Farm Customer John Woolard

Alligator specialist John Woolard has no problem wrestling with reptiles. But ask him to grapple with cut-rate car insurance? No way. Play it safe with your car insurance. Get reliable service and competitive rates from me, your State Farm Agent.

Mike Meyers, Agent  
835 Highway 90  
Bay St Louis, MS  
228-467-5011

Like a good neighbor, State Farm is there.  
State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Company (not in NJ)  
State Farm Indemnity Company (NJ)  
Home Office: Bloomington, Illinois statefarm.com

## Loyola's Hall of Fame honors Hymel

**SPECIAL TO THE ECHO**  
Loyola University New Orleans honored former members of their athletic program at the university's Hall of Fame induction ceremony recently.

The honorees were Roland Hymel, Jr., B'53, for archery; Butler Powell, Jr., B'60, G'69, for baseball; and the 1971 Baseball Team. The recipient of the St. Sebastian Award was Robert Reed.

This award is presented to the person who has given continuous support and dedication to the athletic program of the university.

All activities were conducted at Loyola's main campus at 6363 St. Charles Avenue.

The Hall of Fame was created in 1964 and reinstated in 1993 with the return of intercollegiate athletics to Loyola's campus.

Hymel, Jr., who is a resident of Waveland, is president of Roland Hymel, Jr. and Associates, Inc.

More than 175 people attended the induction ceremony.

Hymel was captain of the



Dr. James Eisman, vice president of student affairs, left, and Roland Hymel Jr., Hall of Fame inductee.

university's first archery team, formed in 1950. The Wolfpack closed their inaugural campaign by winning Louisiana's collegiate championship and were named #5 in the nation by the National Archery Association (NAA).

That year he was named the #2 collegiate archer in the country by the NAA, a title he would garner again in 1952 and 1953. Loyola finished the 1951-52 season as Louisiana's champions

and were ranked second nationally, behind Arizona State.

Hymel led Loyola to the state championship again in 1953, a year in which he received individual honors in city, state, and national competitions.

He also competed in track and field and was inducted into the Loyola Athletic Hall of Fame in February 1999 with other members of the 1951 and 1952 track and field teams.

## Bay Dixie Youth League Softball registration

The Bay St. Louis Dixie Youth Girls Softball league is starting registration for the 2002 season.

This league is for all girls ages 5-15. All registration will be done at McDonald Field on the corner of Dunbar and Ulman in Bay St. Louis from 10 a.m.-2

p.m. on Feb. 16, 23 and March 2. Registration will also be done at the field Feb. 19 and 21 from 6-7:30 p.m.

Registration will also be taken Monday-Friday at the following locations:

Old City Hall in Bay St. Louis, Gus McKay, 463-7135

Southern Printing, 230 Davis Ave., Pass Christian, Dane Jenkins, 452-7309

For more information, call the numbers listed above or Pennie Brogle at 467-3192 and Leslie Besancon at 467-2348.

**\$0 DOWN!** LIMITED TIME!!!

5 to Choose From

**2001 DODGE NEON** \$8,995  
AUTO, AC, POWER

**2001 DODGE INTREPID** \$245 PER MONTH\*  
PW, PL, TILT, CRUISE & MORE!!  
OR \$13,995

Ranked #1 by J.D. Powers & Associates

**2001 Ram 3500** 15 Passenger MAXI VAN \$17,995  
Loaded, All Power, SLT Pkg.  
WAS \$28,995 NOW \$19,495  
SAVE \$10,000

Low Miles, Leather, Auto, All Power, Plus More

4 to Choose From

**2001 CHRYSLER SEBRING CONVERTIBLE LXI**

**2002 DODGE GRAND CARAVAN SPORT** \$23,995  
QUAD SEATS, REAR AIR, ALL POWER EQUIPMENT, SOME WITH CO'S ALL UNDER 200 MILES

6 to Choose From

**1998 SATURN SL2** \$8,995 \$12,995

**1999 CHRYSLER CONCORD** \$9,995  
LOADED LOW MILES \$12,995

**LAKE SHORE**  
SECOND SLIDELL EXIT

# HEAD START ON PARADE

Scenes from Friday's Bay-Waveland Head Start Parade -- Staff photos by Bennie Shallbétter



## DuPont -- dioxins

Continued from Page 1A

For months now, Smiley said last week, the two have been gathering evidence and interviewing residents and ex-employees at the plant in hopes of finding an answer to the question many residents have about a high incidence of serious illnesses in the area.

Though they will continue to research heavy metals and radioactivity as a possible cause, Smiley and Fenasi say, they now think that "dioxins and dioxin-like waste" may hold a new clue to the high incidence of cancer, miscarriages, neurological problems and other health complaints in the surrounding communities.

An amended Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) report from the Dupont Delisle plant filed with the Mississippi Department of Environmental Quality, dated Oct. 22, 2001, identifies eight constituents of concern: Dioxin and "dioxin-like compounds," hexachlorobenzene, polychlorinated biphenyls, octachlorostyrene, and manganese. Those constituents are present in waste areas on the plant site, specifically in the site designated as SWMU 8, better known as the "Barrow Pit."

Under the U.S. EPA Toxic Release Inventory Program -- part of Emergency Planning and Community Right to Know Act (EPCRA) -- releases of dioxin and dioxin-like substances were being reported for the first time in 2001, due in part to a final draft report by the EPA on the toxin in June 2000. In June 2001, the EPA Science Advisory Board asked that the agency "proceed expeditiously" to complete and release the Dioxin Reassessment to the American people.

An article in the Wilmington News Journal in July 2001 said that Dupont's Edge Moor plant in Delaware, which is a smaller version of the Dupont Delisle plant and produces the same product -- titanium dioxide -- reported dioxin emissions of 0.1 grams in air (the smallest reportable level); 14 grams to water; and 2,700 grams (61 lbs.) to land for the year 2000.

Dioxins are a by-product of industrial processes that use or burn chlorine, including waste incineration, chemical and pesticide manufacturing and pulp and paper bleaching, according to environmental websites.

Dioxins are highly persistent in the environment

and the most toxic chemical known to humans -- with no known safe levels -- according to the EPA. These chemicals can and do travel long distances in the atmosphere, says the Center for Health, Environment and Justice on its website.

According to the EPA, over 90 percent of human exposure occurs through the diet. Dioxins settle into the soil, water and plant surfaces. It does not break down easily in the environment and over time accumulates, causing a wide array of illnesses in both humans and animals.

Dioxin is a potent cancer-causing agent and is considered a "known human carcinogen" by the World Health Organization's International Agency for Research on Cancer and the U.S. Department of Health and Human Service's National Toxicology Program. Research shows that dioxins can also cause other problems in the reproductive, developmental, immunological, and endocrine systems in humans and animals. It has also been linked to diabetes and behavioral problems. Animal studies have shown other toxic effects.

"We began to monitor dioxins last summer when it became mandatory," DuPont DeLisle plant manager Aldo Morell said on Friday. "The Edge Moor plant manages their waste differently (than does the DeLisle plant). They don't use deep-well injection. Part of their waste is sold as a wastewater treatment and the solids are neutralized and put into a landfill on the Delaware River."

The dioxins are formed in the first step of the titanium dioxide (TiO2) manufacturing process, where coke and chlorine are present, Morrell said.

"We monitored dust levels out there (at the DeLisle plant) and concluded that levels of dioxins are very low and are no risk to the community or our employees," he said. "Levels of dioxin in the water discharge and deep-well streams are at or below background. These findings were communicated to all plant employees last year."

Morell said that emissions into the air from stacks are .33 grams for the year 2000; and that landfill solids measure a mere 351 parts-per-billion for dioxin for the same year. There was no mention of how the tests were conducted or what that measurement means in comparison to the

Edge Moor results. Morell said that dioxins are not water soluble. He said the only possible exposure to dioxins at the plant would be from dust and the solids are not dusty.

Smiley and Fenasi dispute this, and say that the Barrow Pit is dry much of the time.

"Community exposures associated with our operations are very low, well below the 1 percent of the dioxin exposure someone experiences in their normal lifetime," Morell said.

The presence of manganese is also being exam-

ined because of questions that have come up at both the Edge Moor plant and at the DeLisle plant, Morell said. The EPA is studying the industry and deciding how to regulate it.

"One of the things they saw was that we have a lot of manganese," he said.

"We are committed to protecting the health of employees, the community and to protecting the environment," Morrell said. "We have nothing to hide and welcome the opportunity for people to understand the facts about our facility."

## Rick Bounds Auto Sales

2118 HWY 90 • BAY ST. LOUIS • 228-467-1511



Otis Curet of Kiln was very pleased with the great deal he received from the good guys at Rick Bounds Auto Sales!

"Another Good Deal From the Good Guys At Rick Bounds Auto Sales"

# JAGUAR GIVEAWAY!

February 14 • 9 p.m.

Earn registration tickets by playing your favorite slots and table games, and you could win a 2002 Jaguar X-Type!



**5 FREE ENTRIES** into the Jaguar Giveaway!

Redeem this original coupon at the Magic Money Players Club to receive 5 free entries for the Jaguar Giveaway. Coupon must be redeemed by February 13, 2002. One coupon per account per day. Free Magic Money membership required. Official rules posted at the Magic Money Players Club.

**Casino Magic!**

CASINO & GOLF RESORT  
Bay St. Louis

467-9257 • www.casinomagic.com

SCE0210

# COMMUNITY

pg 1B

## MARDI GRAS, KID-STYLE



Scenes from Friday's Bay Catholic Elementary and St. Paul Catholic Elementary Mardi Gras parades.

Echo staff photos by  
Bennie Shallbetter  
and Geoff Belcher



# What's for Lunch?

Feb. 11-15

**Bay St. Louis-Waveland School District**  
Chef Salad, Milk and Condiments served daily  
**BREAKFAST**

**Monday:** Holiday  
**Tuesday:** Holiday  
**Wednesday:** French Toast Sticks, Cereal, Toast, Fruit Juice.

**Thursday:** Sausage and Biscuit, Cereal, Toast, Fruit Juice.

**Friday:** Breakfast Pizza, Cereal, Toast, Juice.

## LUNCH

**Monday:** Holiday  
**Tuesday:** Holiday  
**Wednesday:** Red Beans and Rice with Sausage, Tuna Salad, Seasoned Potato Cuts, Green Beans, Fresh Banana, Strawberry Blend, Mexican Cornbread.

**Thursday:** Chili Cheese Fritos, American Sub Sandwich with Trimmings, Green Peas, Carrot Sticks with Dip, Fruit Cocktail, Fresh Fruit Bowl, Butter Cookie.

**Friday:** Pork Roast with Rice and Gravy, Cheese Pizza, Seasoned Lima Beans, Garden Salad with Dressing, Chilled Pear Slices, Applesauce, Yeast Roll.

**Hancock North Central Gulfview and Charles B.**

**Murphy Elementary Schools**  
Served daily:  
Chef Salad, Bread, Dessert and Milk  
Condiments:  
Mustard/Mayo/Ketchup

Sweet and Sour Sauce/Salsa  
BBQ Sauce, Hot Sauce or

**Taco Sauce BREAKFAST**

**Monday:** Mardi Gras

**Holiday**

**Tuesday:** Mardi Gras

**Holiday**

**Wednesday:** Mardi Gras

**Holiday**

**Thursday:** Cereal with

Toast or Pancake Pup, Juice

**Friday:** Cereal with

Toast or Breakfast Pizza

## LUNCH

**Monday:** Mardi Gras

**Holiday**

**Tuesday:** Mardi Gras

**Holiday**

**Wednesday:** Mardi Gras

**Holiday**

**Thursday:** Chicken

Noodle Soup, Foot-long Hot

Dog with Chili, Chef Salad,

Ranch-baked Fries,

Steamed Broccoli, Tossed

Salad, Peach Slices, Fruit

Juice, Yeast Rolls, Crackers,

Valentine Cake

**Friday:** Nachos Grande,

Cheese Pizza, French Fries,

Broccoli/Cheese/Rice,

Tossed Salad, Pineapple

Tidbits, Fruit Juice, Ice Cream Sandwich

## Hancock High School

Served daily:  
Chef Salad, Bread, Dessert and Milk  
Condiments:  
Mustard/Mayo/Ketchup

Sweet and Sour Sauce/Salsa  
BBQ Sauce, Hot Sauce or

**Taco Sauce LUNCH**

**Monday:** Mardi Gras

**Holiday**

**Tuesday:** Mardi Gras

**Holiday**

**Wednesday:** Mardi Gras

**Holiday**

**Thursday:** Chicken

Noodle Soup, Foot-long Hot

Dog with Chili, Chef Salad,

Ranch-baked Fries,

Steamed Broccoli, Tossed

Salad, Peach Slices, Fruit

Juice, Yeast Rolls, Crackers,

Valentine Cake

**Friday:** Nachos Grande,

Cheese Pizza, BBQ Chicken

on Bun, French Fries,

Broccoli/Cheese/Rice,

Tossed Salad, Pineapple

Tidbits, Fruit Juice, Ice

Cream Sandwich

**Bay Catholic Elementary**

**Monday through**

**Friday:**

**Mardi Gras Break**



Josh DiSalvo, Assistant Manager ABC Rental, left, Janell Nolan, youth chairperson and senior marketing representative of Coast Electric Power Association; Matthew Kyle Ladner, December Youth of the Month; Adrian Mastenbaugh, Hancock High School counselor; and Charles Delk, owner ABC Rental.

## Exchange Club awards Ladner Outstanding Youth of Month

The Exchange Club of Hancock County has selected Matthew Kyle Ladner as its December Youth of the Month. Matthew is the son of Mike and Gail Ladner of Perkinson.

The club presented the award to Matthew Dec. 6 during its weekly meeting. ABC Rental sponsored the December Youth of the Month and presented Matthew with a \$50 Savings Bond.

As the senior class vice president and Student Government treasurer at Hancock High School, Ladner has received numerous scholastic awards and honors including Honor Roll, *Who's Who Among*

*America's High School Students*, National Honor Society, National Art Honor Society, Mu Alpha Theta, and the Beta Club.

Throughout his high school career, Ladner has been a member of the varsity and junior varsity basketball teams, cross-country track team, and track and field team.

He has been active in the community and has represented the Kiwanis Club at its Leadership Conference and as a page for the Mississippi House of Representatives.

Ladner is also a member St. Matthew the Apostle Catholic Church CYO.

Each month, nearly 1,000 Exchange Clubs throughout the United States and Puerto Rico honor a young man or woman as their club's Youth of the Month.

The students who receive this award have shown academic and leadership excellence. These outstanding youths go on to compete for the Hancock County Exchange Club Youth of the Year, District Youth of the Year, and ultimately the National Youth of the Year Award.

The National Exchange Club is a group of men and women working to make America a better place to live through one national project, the Prevention of Child Abuse, and other community service projects.

Goal is to become the premier service club in America by igniting the spirit of community service throughout the nation.

The Hancock County Exchange Club meets every Thursday at noon at the Waveland Holiday Inn.

## Head Start registration

Mississippi Action for Progress, Inc. (MAP), a non-profit child care organization, announced its recruitment for the 2002-03 school year. All children who will be 3 or 4 years of age on or before Sept. 1, 2002 are eligible and encouraged to apply at the Bay-Waveland Head Start Center, 301 Necaise Avenue, Bay St. Louis. Parents will need to have a certified birth certificate, proof of family income (W-2 form), compliance letter from the health department, and a Social Security card.

www.mspublicnotices.com

## LEGAL NOTICES

published in  
*The Sea Coast Echo*  
and other  
Mississippi  
newspapers are  
now on the  
INTERNET

## Attention Kmart Shoppers

In the February 10, 2002 Kmart weekly ad circular, the School Spirit Sweepstakes applies to the 2/17 and 2/24 races only with the qualifying period being 2/10/02 - 2/23/02. Residents in the state of New York are not eligible to participate. Kmart is not running the sweepstakes in the state of New York. A copy of the complete and revised rules, which supercede all other communications regarding this promotion, are available at all Kmart locations at the Customer Service Desk.

We regret any inconvenience this may have caused our customers.



# Business Showcase

## C & C Homes

Builds Quality Homes



Let Us Save You Money!

MS Lic #R05824  
PH: 255-5588

We Cut Costs Not Corners!

## 1st Choice Carpet Cleaning

Next Day Service Now Available!



\$18.49 PER ROOM  
FREE HALLWAYS

LOW MINIMUM NO HIDDEN CHARGES

EXCELLENT FLOOR SERVICE

467-9517

Keep Up with Local News  
By Reading

*The Sea Coast Echo*  
Established 1892  
We Serve the Community

124 Court Street • Bay St. Louis, MS  
To Subscribe  
Call (228) 467-5474 • Fax (228) 467-0333

To Visit Our Web Site  
seacoastecho.com  
To Email: rponder@seacoastecho.com

## UGLY STAINED ROOF!

Mildew, Fungus & Mold Can DESTROY  
Your Roof! Your Ugly, Stained Roof Can  
Look Like New Again!



"The Original"  
SHINGLE  
SHINE  
Roof Stain Removal  
John Hall, Owner

"YOUR ROOF WILL LOOK LIKE NEW!"  
Housewash, Concrete & Deck Cleaning  
Free estimate (228) 255-6111

## ADVERTISING PAYS

ADVERTISING PAYS  
ADVERTISING PAYS

Call 467-5474

TO GET RESULTS  
NOW!

## Debbie's Cafe

Country Cookin' at It's Best

Here's The Dish On Us

We Like Hungry Customers

We Dislike Poor Quality or Service

Get to Know Us Over

Breakfast, Lunch or Dinner

11am-9pm  
Lunch \$5.95  
Dinner \$6.95

7 Days a Week  
6am-10pm Sun-Thurs • 6am-Midnight Fri & Sat

## FREEDOM FROM PAIN!!!

Headaches • Low Back Pain

Neck Pain • Sciatica

Pinched Nerves

We are pleased to announce the addition of  
Dr. David Hoda, D.C., Chiropractor to our staff.

**HODA**  
CHIROPRACTIC CLINIC  
1308 Park Ten Dr., Diamondhead, MS  
255-5328

Dr. David Hoda  
Chiropractor

## CERTIFIED CARPET CLEANING

FAMILY OWNED & OPERATED SINCE 1991

Furniture • Rug

Tile & Grout Cleaning

Carpet Restretching

2 Rooms Plus Hall \$37.90\* 5 Rooms \$89.95\*

\*Rooms or areas over 200 sq. ft. quoted as 2 rooms

467-2680

Licensed & Insured

## SAMS

AIR CONDITIONING & ELECTRICAL SERVICES

(228) 467-0919

SALES-SERVICE-INSTALLATIONS

REPAIRS-REPLACEMENTS-MAINTENANCE

WE HAVE OTHER PROFESSIONAL AIR-DRY CLEANING-PAINTING

THE BEST OF BOTH TECHNOLOGY & VIDEO CAMERA

## COAST C.V. JOINT & AXLE, INC.

Dr. J. V. Joint & Axle

Steering Racks

Wreckers Service

21243 Daughtery Road

Long Beach, MS • (228) 452-4649

Harold Beinhauer • Tony Wagner

**SPECIAL!!**

Over 90% of all cars, Rebuilt CV

Joint & Axle installed, part, labor.

While you wait.

\$109.00 per side plus tax

## MAYO'S

HEATING AND AIR CONDITIONING

SALES & SERVICE

HEAT PUMP SPECIALIST

Residential • Commercial

GoodCents 467-5975

HEAT PUMP LICENSED & BONDED

509 Ulman Ave. • Bay St. Louis

## Close to My Heart

Rubber Stamps & Scrapbooks

Free Weekly Rubber Stamping & Scrapbooking

Classes at the Yellow House Gifts, Dunbar Ave.

PLEASE COME - IT'S FUN!

Host your own Home Party & get free stamps!

Call Claudia Moon at 255-4788 or Michelle

Kolt at 452-7261, Independent Consultants

## To Advertise Your Business

Here Call Your Advertising

Representative Cecilia

or Suzette at 467-5474

# We

# Sch

Michael Schaefer announce and forthright of their Kathryn S. David Jacob Sharon Jacob. The bridge of O and earned degrees at Southern is employed.

# Th

Mr. Be Philadelph Mrs. William Louis announcement and riage of Scherrie T. Michael A. of Dori Avondale, Joseph Be. The

# New

The Avenue chosen in Kathy J. Scott Bladent; Sue er; and secretary. Other are Terry Meyer and The coa meeting nate a bu activities.

The fi new year Contest a to be con Monbo C by Sprin Trash Ca and Kite April 20. The C Tour will and the Sunday, S

"The g is to help ly activiti can enjoy Coleman offer wit shops, re and mun Pinn.

"Curre are loca Avenue v coming w months.

"We w area becc ple to g friends a "It's p walking Especially tion of t along the Blacky

BES

D

## Weddings and Engagements

### Schaefer-Jacobi

Michael and Mary-Ellen Schaefer of Diamondhead announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Amy Kathryn Schaefer, to Kevin David Jacobi, son of Al and Sharon Jacobi of Waveland.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Our Lady Academy and earned BS and MBA degrees at the University of Southern Mississippi. She is employed with Wyet-

Aerst Pharmaceuticals.

The prospective groom is a St. Stanislaus graduate and attended Pearl River Community College and the University of Southern Mississippi.

He is employed with CSX Transportation.

The wedding will take place March 2, 2002 at 2:30 p.m. in Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church in Bay St. Louis.



Amy Schaefer and Kevin Jacobi



Tammy Ehrlich and Damon Stafford

### Ehrlich-Stafford

Sharon Ehrlich of Bay St. Louis and Dwayne Ehrlich of Edgewater, Fla., announce the engagement of their daughter, Tammy Lou Ehrlich of Bay St. Louis, to Damon Andrew Stafford of Bay St. Louis.

He is the son of Mary Stafford and Charles Stafford of Richmond Hill, Ga.

The bride-elect is a 1990 graduate of Bay High School and a 1994 and 2000 graduate of the University

of Southern Mississippi. She is employed with the Hancock County School District. Her grandmother is Louella Hebert of Bay St. Louis.

The prospective groom is a 1987 graduate of Richmond Hill High School. He is employed with Dub Herring Chrysler in Picayune.

Vows will be exchanged April 13 at Bayou Talla Baptist Church in Kiln.

### Thornton-Berry

Mr. Bennie McLain of Philadelphia, Miss. and Mrs. Willie Pitts of Bay St. Louis announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Scherrie Tilese Thornton, to Michael Anthony Berry, son of Doris Landry of Avondale, La. and the late Joseph Berry.

The bride-elect is

employed with Taco Bell, and the prospective groom is employed with Discount Tire Spot.

The wedding will take place March 2, 2002 at 4 p.m. in the Community Center.

The children of the bride and groom are Scherrie Henderson, Adam Thornton and Joseph Berry.

### AARP to host Tax-aide program at libraries

It's tax time again, and the AARP volunteers will begin their Tax-Aide assistance program at the Bay St. Louis-Hancock County and Kiln public libraries.

Beginning Saturday, Feb. 2, the tax-aides will be available at the Bay St. Louis-Hancock County from 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the Seal Meeting Room.

They will be available every Tuesday and

Saturday, through April 13, from 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

At the Kiln Public Library, the aides will begin Thursday, Feb. 7, and will be available every Thursday through April 11 from 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

More information is available by calling the Bay St. Louis-Hancock County Library at 467-5282, or the Kiln Public Library at 255-1724.

### New Coleman Ave. officers

The new Coleman Avenue Coalition officers, chosen in November were: Kathy Pinn, president; Scott Blackwell, vice president; Sue Ashman, treasurer; and Mary Krapausky secretary.

Other board members are Terri Green, Cyndi Meyer and Regina Bugee. The coalition has been meeting monthly to coordinate a busy year of special activities.

The first event for the new year is a Postcard Contest and Silent Auction to be conducted Feb. 22 at Mombo Graphix followed by Spring Clean-up and Trash Can Painting Contest and Kite Fly on Saturday, April 20.

The Charming Cottages Tour will take place in May, and the Wave-Fest will be Sunday, Sept. 1.

"The goal of the coalition is to help provide fun, family activities so that people can enjoy the great things Coleman Avenue has to offer with its businesses, shops, restaurants, beach and municipal pier," said Pinn.

"Currently 22 businesses are located on Coleman Avenue with two new ones coming within the next few months.

"We would love to see this area become a place for people to gather with their friends and families.

"It's perfect for fishing, walking and biking. Especially since the addition of the new boardwalk along the beach."

Blackwell added, "We

have so much to offer in a friendly laid-back atmosphere."

**BEST PAWN**  
Jewelry 467-7777  
bestpawn.com

**Ding**

## Black History program

The Hancock County Welcome Center 1-10 and Hwy. 607 will have a program in observance of Black History Month, Friday, February 15 beginning at 11 a.m.

Guest speaker will be Sidney Rushing of Gulfport. Art work will be provided by Joseph Pearson of Waveland and displays by Lillian Rogers of Pearlinton.

Entertaining will be the Mississippi Gulf Coast Job Corps of Gulfport and Charles Baker with the Department of the Navy, Stennis Space Center.

**Palace in the Pass**  
Fine Furniture  
1-800-452-1123

**Ruby Begonia**  
Flowers & Gifts  
24 Hr. Answering Service  
630 Hwy 90 ~ Waveland  
467-7033

### Trend Setters & Co.

A full-service Salon & Day Spa  
featuring the latest technology  
in skin care.

**Sweet Heart Package**  
manicure, pedicure, facial,  
shampoo, blow dry, style, and  
a 30 minute massage

**\$100**

**Sweet Heart Special**  
30 minute massage  
OR facial with a manicure  
OR pedicure

**\$50**

Mon. - Fri. 9am - 5pm  
Sat. 9am - 3pm  
Drop-ins Welcome  
107 Hwy. 90 • Bay St. Louis  
(228) 467-6780

### WE RENT SPACE WALKS



### ABC DENTAL Centers

www.abcdental.com  
Highway 90 • Bay St. Louis  
Near the Post Office  
467-1081  
Hewes Ave. • Gulfport  
Near Pass Road  
864-5361

### CHARTER MORTGAGE

Mississippi Licensed Mortgage Company

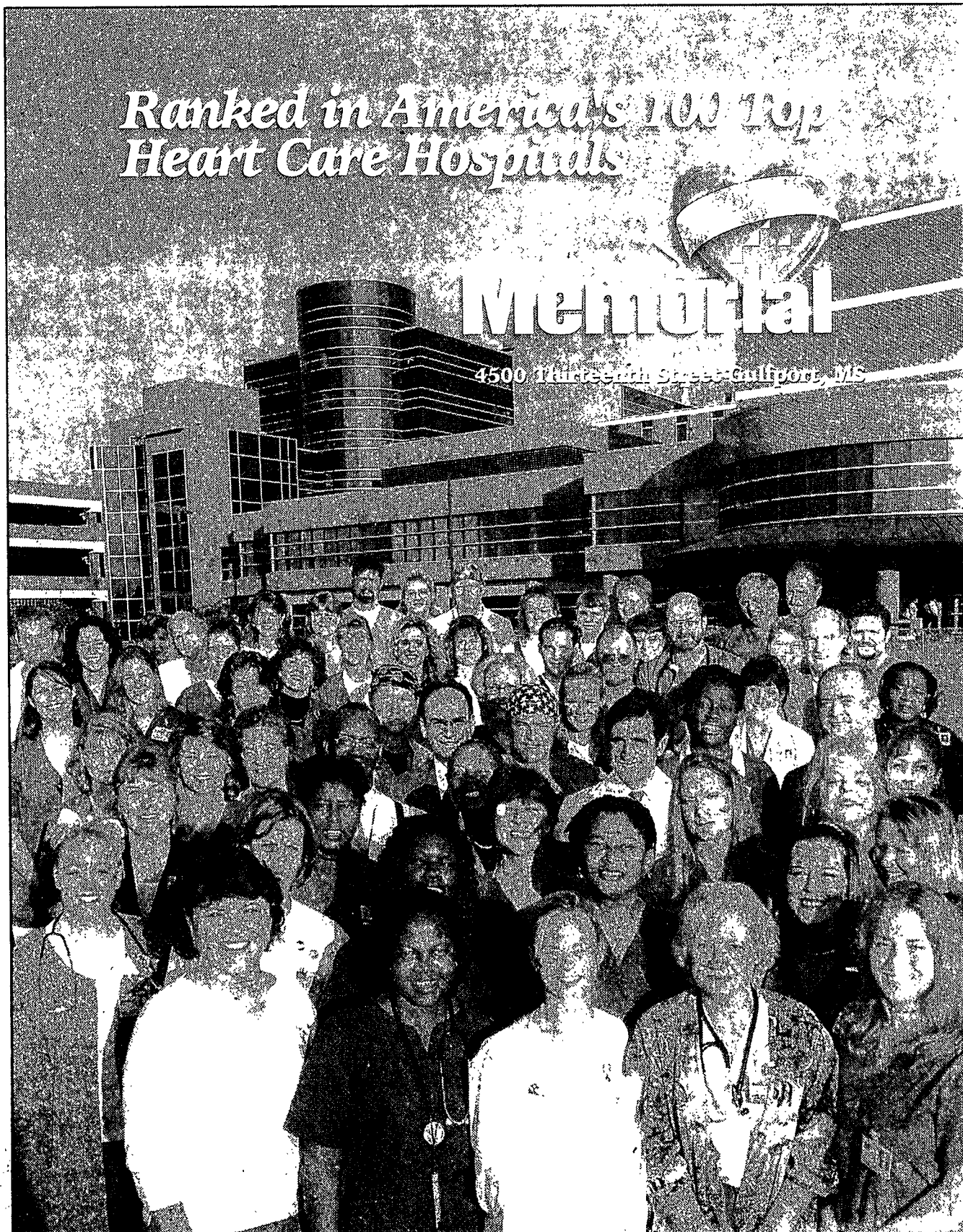
Due to Phenomenal Growth,  
We have relocated to

412 Hwy. 90, Suite 4, Bay St. Louis  
(Next to the Hancock County Chamber of Commerce)

466-6680 Toll Free: 1-800-708-7886

412 Hwy. 90, Suite 4 • Bay St. Louis • Next to the Hancock County Chamber of Commerce

**BEHOLD** CUSTOM FRAMING & GALLERY  
LIMITED EDITIONS • CONVERSATION FRAMING  
50% Off All Preframed Prints  
For a limited time  
295 Hwy. 90 Suite 22  
Bay St. Louis, MS • 467-8480



### Memorial Heart Team receives recognition

In a study released by Solucient, the leading source of health care intelligence and benchmark information, Memorial Hospital was named to the "Solucient 100 Top Hospitals: Cardiovascular Benchmarks for Success."

This annual study names organizations that are among the best performing hospitals for treating heart attacks and cardiovascular disease with mortality and complication rates as much as 27 percent lower than other hospitals. The study also analyzes specific procedures and conditions including Coronary Artery Bypass Graft (CABG) and Percutaneous Transluminal Coronary Angioplasty (PTCA).

"We believe we provide excellent patient care and being recognized by this study reinforces our belief," said Jim Kaigler, President and Chief Executive Officer of Memorial Hospital.

To learn the details, log onto <http://www.100TopHospitals.com>. Look for "Solucient 100 Top Hospitals: Cardiovascular Benchmarks for Success" hospitals and a summary of the report.

# What's for Lunch?

Feb. 11-15

**Bay St. Louis-Waveland School District**  
Chef Salad, Milk and Condiments served daily  
**BREAKFAST**

**Monday:** Holiday  
**Tuesday:** Holiday  
**Wednesday:** French Toast Sticks, Cereal, Toast, Fruit Juice.  
**Thursday:** Sausage and Biscuit, Cereal, Toast, Fruit Juice.

**Friday:** Breakfast Pizza, Cereal, Toast, Juice.

## LUNCH

**Monday:** Holiday  
**Tuesday:** Holiday  
**Wednesday:** Red Beans and Rice with Sausage, Tuna Salad, Seasoned Potato Cuts, Green Beans, Fresh Banana, Strawberry Blend, Mexican Cornbread

**Thursday:** Chili Cheese Fritos, American Sub Sandwich with Trimmings, Green Peas, Carrot Sticks with Dip, Fruit Cocktail, Fresh Fruit Bowl, Butter Cookie

**Friday:** Pork Roast with Rice and Gravy, Cheese Pizza, Seasoned Lima Beans, Garden Salad with Dressing, Chilled Pear Slices, Applesauce, Yeast Roll

**Hancock North Central Gulfview and Charles B.**

**Murphy Elementary Schools**  
Served daily:  
Chef Salad, Bread, Dessert and Milk  
Condiments:  
Mustard/Mayo/Ketchup

**Sweet and Sour Sauce/Salsa**  
**BBQ Sauce, Hot Sauce or**

**Taco Sauce**  
**BREAKFAST**

**Monday:** Mardi Gras Holiday

**Tuesday:** Mardi Gras Holiday

**Wednesday:** Mardi Gras Holiday

**Thursday:** Cereal with

Toast or Pancake Pup, Juice

**Friday:** Cereal with

Toast or Breakfast Pizza

## LUNCH

**Monday:** Mardi Gras

Holiday

**Tuesday:** Mardi Gras

Holiday

**Wednesday:** Mardi Gras

Holiday

**Thursday:** Chicken

Noodle Soup, Foot-long Hot

Dog with Chili, Chef Salad,

Ranch-baked Fries,

Steamed Broccoli, Tossed

Salad, Peach Slices, Fruit

Juice, Yeast Rolls, Crackers,

Valentine Cake

**Friday:** Nachos Grande,

Cheese Pizza, French Fries,

Broccoli/Cheese/Rice,

Tossed Salad, Pineapple

Tidbits, Fruit Juice, Ice Cream Sandwich

## Hancock High School

Served daily:  
Chef Salad, Bread, Dessert and Milk  
Condiments:  
Mustard/Mayo/Ketchup

**Sweet and Sour Sauce/Salsa**  
**BBQ Sauce, Hot Sauce or**

**Taco Sauce**  
**LUNCH**

**Monday:** Mardi Gras Holiday

**Tuesday:** Mardi Gras Holiday

**Wednesday:** Mardi Gras Holiday

**Thursday:** Chicken

Noodle Soup, Foot-long Hot

Dog with Chili, Chef Salad,

Ranch-baked Fries,

Steamed Broccoli, Tossed

Salad, Peach Slices, Fruit

Juice, Yeast Rolls, Crackers,

Valentine Cake

**Friday:** Nachos Grande,

Cheese Pizza, BBQ Chicken

on Bun, French Fries,

Broccoli/Cheese/Rice,

Tossed Salad, Pineapple

Tidbits, Fruit Juice, Ice

Cream Sandwich

**Bay Catholic Elementary**

**Monday through Friday:**  
**Mardi Gras Break**



Josh DiSalvo, Assistant Manager ABC Rental, left, Janel Nolan, youth chairperson and senior marketing representative of Coast Electric Power Association; Matthew Kyle Ladner, December Youth of the Month; Adrian Mastenbaugh, Hancock High School counselor; and Charles Delk, owner ABC Rental.

## Exchange Club awards Ladner Outstanding Youth of Month

The Exchange Club of Hancock County has selected Matthew Kyle Ladner as its December Youth of the Month. Matthew is the son of Mike and Gail Ladner of Perkinston.

The club presented the award to Matthew Dec. 6 during its weekly meeting. ABC Rental sponsored the December Youth of the Month and presented Matthew with a \$50 Savings Bond.

As the senior class vice president and Student Government treasurer at Hancock High School, Ladner has received numerous scholastic awards and honors including Honor Roll, *Who's Who Among*

*America's High School Students*, National Honor Society, National Art Honor Society, Mu Alpha Theta, and the Beta Club.

Throughout his high school career, Ladner has been a member of the varsity and junior varsity basketball teams, cross-country track team, and track and field team.

He has been active in the community and has represented the Kiwanis Club at its Leadership Conference and as a page for the Mississippi House of Representatives.

Ladner is also a member St. Matthew the Apostle Catholic Church CYO.

Each month, nearly 1,000 Exchange Clubs throughout the United States and Puerto Rico honor a young man or woman as their club's Youth of the Month.

The students who receive this award have shown academic and leadership excellence. These outstanding youths go on to compete for the Hancock County Exchange Club Youth of the Year, District Youth of the Year, and ultimately the National Youth of the Year Award.

The National Exchange Club is a group of men and women working to make America a better place to live through one national project, the Prevention of Child Abuse, and other community service projects.

Goal is to become the premier service club in America by igniting the spirit of community service throughout the nation.

The Hancock County Exchange Club meets every Thursday at noon at the Waveland Holiday Inn.

## Head Start registration

Mississippi Action for Progress, Inc. (MAP), a non-profit child care organization, announced its recruitment for the 2002-03 school year. All children who will be 3 or 4 years of age on or before Sept. 1, 2002 are eligible and encouraged to apply at the Bay-Waveland Head Start Center, 301 Necaise Avenue, Bay St. Louis. Parents will need to have a certified birth certificate, proof of family income (W-2 form), compliance letter from the health department, and a Social Security card.

www.mspublicnotices.com

**LEGAL NOTICES**  
published in

The Sea Coast Echo

and other Mississippi newspapers are now on the INTERNET

## Attention Kmart Shoppers

In the February 10, 2002 Kmart weekly ad circular, the School Spirit Sweepstakes applies to the 2/17 and 2/24 races only with the qualifying period being 2/10/02 - 2/23/02. Residents in the state of New York are not eligible to participate. Kmart is not running the sweepstakes in the state of New York. A copy of the complete and revised rules, which supercede all other communication regarding this promotion, are available at all Kmart locations at the Customer Service Desk.

We regret any inconvenience this may have caused our customers.



# Business Showcase

### C & C Homes

Builds Quality Homes

Let Us Save You Money!

MS Lic #RO5824  
PH: 255-5588

**We Cut Costs Not Corners!**

### 1st Choice Carpet Cleaning

Next Day Service Now Available!

**\$18.49** PER ROOM  
FREE HALLWAYS

FROM MINIMUM NO HIDDEN CHARGES  
24 HOUR HOTLINE SERVICE  
Call: 467-9517

# Correct

## Preceding Image

## Refilmed To Assure

## Or To Correct A Problem

### SAMS

**AIR CONDITIONING & ELECTRICAL SERVICES**  
(228) 467-0919  
SALES-SERVICE-INSTALLATIONS  
WE NOW OFFER PROFESSIONAL AIR DUCT CLEANING USING THE LATEST HIGH TECH TECHNOLOGY & VIDEO CAMERA

### COAST C.V. JOINT & AXLE, INC.

21243 Daugherty Road  
Long Beach, MS • (228) 452-4649  
Harold Beinbauer • Tony Wagner

**SPECIAL!!**  
Over 90% of all cars, Rebuilt CV Joint & Axle installed, part, labor. While you wait.  
**\$109.00** per side plus tax

### MAYO'S

HEATING AND AIR CONDITIONING  
**SALES & SERVICE**  
HEAT PUMP SPECIALIST  
Residential • Commercial

**GoodCents 467-5975**  
HEAT PUMP LICENSED & BONDED  
509 Uiman Ave. • Bay St. Louis

### Close to My Heart

Rubber Stamps & Scrapbooks  
Free Weekly Rubber Stamping & Scrapbooking  
Classes at the Yellow House Gifts, Dunbar Ave.  
PLEASE COME-IT'S FUN!  
Host your own Home Party & get free stamps!  
Call Claudia Moon at 255-4788 or Michelle Kolt at 452-7261, Independent Consultants

**To Advertise Your Business Here Call Your Advertising Representative Cecilia or Suzette at 467-5474**

## Weddings and Engagements

### Schaefer-Jacobi

Michael and Mary-Ellen Schaefer of Diamondhead announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Amy Kathryn Schaefer, to Kevin David Jacobi, son of Al and Sharon Jacobi of Waveland.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Our Lady Academy and earned BS and MBA degrees at the University of Southern Mississippi. She is employed with Wyet-

Aerst Pharmaceuticals.

The prospective groom is a St. Stanislaus graduate and attended Pearl River Community College and the University of Southern Mississippi.

He is employed with CSX Transportation.

The wedding will take place March 2, 2002 at 2:30 p.m. in Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church in Bay St. Louis.



Rich and Damon Stafford

### h-Stafford

ay St. Louis, Mo. She is employed with the Hancock County School District. Her grandmother is Louella Hobert of Bay St. Louis.

The prospective groom is a 1987 graduate of Richmond Hill High School. He is employed with Dub Herring Chrysler in Picayune.

Vows will be exchanged April 13 at Bayou Talk Baptist Church in Kiln.

### Host Tax-aide at libraries

, and Saturday, through April 13, from 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. At the Kiln Public Library, the aides will begin Thursday, Feb. 7, and will be available every Thursday through April 11 from 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. More information is available by calling the Bay St. Louis-Hancock County Library at 467-5282, or the Kiln Public Library at 255-1724.

## Black History program

The Hancock County Welcome Center 1-10 and Hwy. 607 will have a program in observance of Black History Month. Friday, February 15 beginning at 11 a.m.

Guest speaker will be Sidney Rushing of Gulfport. Art work will be provided by Joseph Pearson of Waveland and displays by Lillian Rogers of Pearlinton.

Entertaining will be the Mississippi Gulf Coast Job Corps of Gulfport and Charles Baker with the Department of the Navy, Stennis Space Center.

*Palace in the Pass*  
225-452-1123

**Ruby Begonia**  
Flowers & Gifts  
24 Hr. Answering Service  
630 Hwy 90 ~ Waveland  
**467-7033**

### Trend Setters & Co.

A full-service Salon & Day Spa featuring the latest technology in skin care.

**Sweet Heart Package**  
manicure, pedicure, facial, shampoo, blow dry, style, and a 30 minute massage

**\$100**

**Sweet Heart Special**  
30 minute massage  
OR facial with a manicure  
OR pedicure

**\$50**

Mon. - Fri. 9am - 5pm  
Sat. 9am - 3pm  
Drop-In Welcome

107 Hwy. 90 • Bay St. Louis  
(228) 467-6780

### WE RENT SPACE WALKS



### ABC DENTAL Centers

www.abcdental.com  
Highway 90 • Bay St. Louis  
Near the Post Office  
**467-1081**  
Hewes Ave. • Gulfport  
Near Pass Road  
**864-5361**

### CHARTER MORTGAGE

Mississippi Licensed Mortgage Company

Due to Phenomenal Growth, We have relocated to

412 Hwy. 90, Suite 4, Bay St. Louis  
(Next to the Hancock County Chamber of Commerce)

**466-6680 Toll Free: 1-800-708-7886**

412 Hwy. 90, Suite 4 • Bay St. Louis • Next to the Hancock County Chamber of Commerce

**BEHOLD** CUSTOM FRAMING & GALLERY  
LIMITED EDITIONS • CONVERSATION FRAMING  
**50% Off All Preframed Prints**  
For a limited time  
295 Hwy. 90 Suite 22  
Bay St. Louis, MS • 467-8480

# rection

## g Image Has Been

## To Assure Legibility

## ect A Possible Error

The first event for the new year is a Postcard Contest and Silent Auction to be conducted Feb. 22 at Mombo Graphix followed by Spring Clean-up and Trash Can Painting Contest and Kite Fly on Saturday, April 20.

The Charming Cottages Tour will take place in May, and the Wave-Fest will be Sunday, Sept. 1.

"The goal of the coalition is to help provide fun, family activities so that people can enjoy the great things Coleman Avenue has to offer with its businesses, shops, restaurants, beach and municipal pier," said Pinn.

"Currently 22 businesses are located on Coleman Avenue with two new ones coming within the next few months.

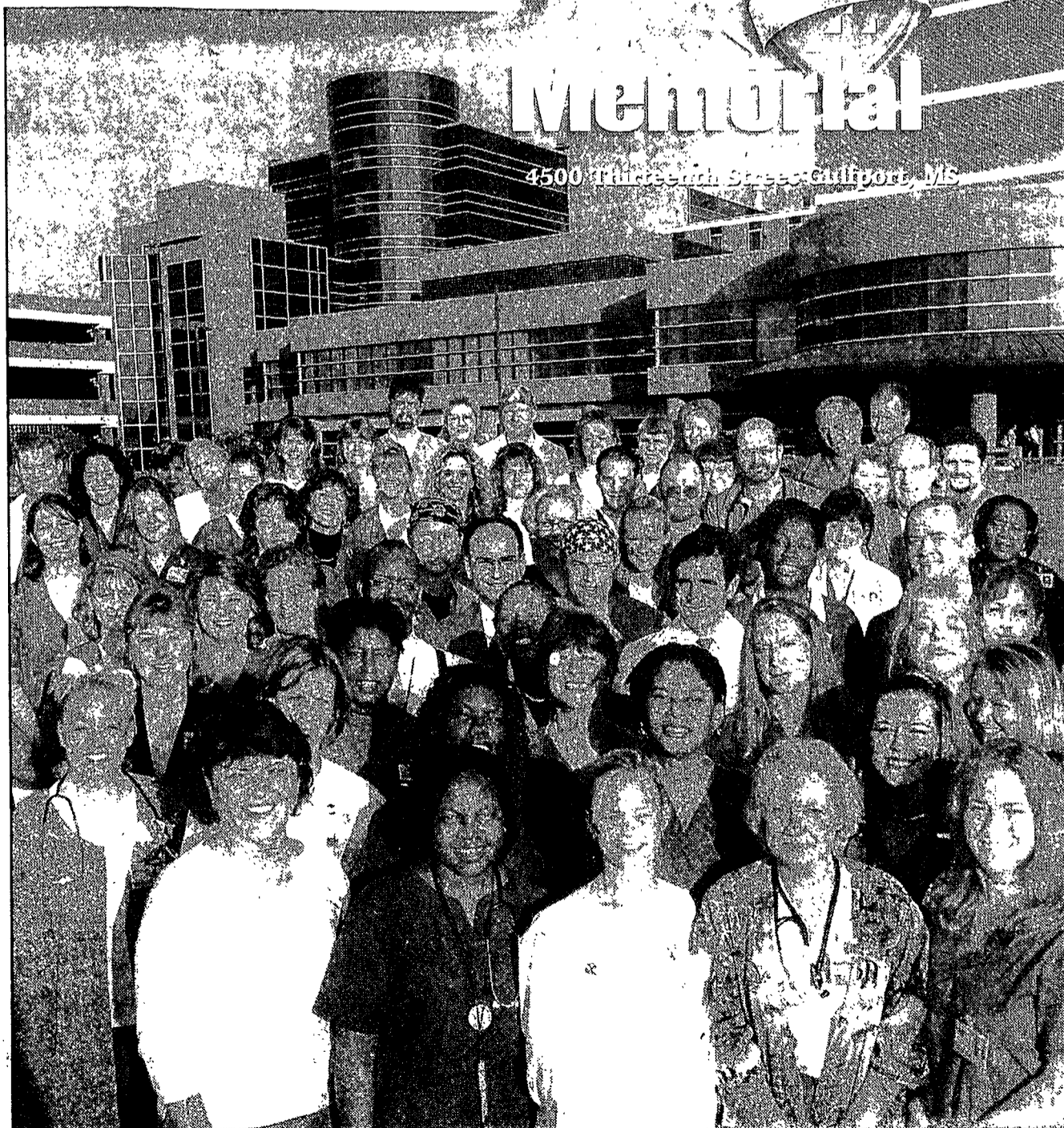
"We would love to see this area become a place for people to gather with their friends and families.

"It's perfect for fishing, walking and biking. Especially since the addition of the new boardwalk along the beach."

Blackwell added, "We

**BEST PAWN**  
Jewelry 466-7777  
bestpawn.com

**Ding**



### Memorial Heart Team receives recognition

In a study released by Solucient, the leading source of health care intelligence and benchmark information, Memorial Hospital was named to the **"Solucient 100 Top Hospitals: Cardiovascular Benchmarks for Success."** This annual study names organizations that are among the best performing hospitals for treating heart attacks and cardiovascular disease with mortality and complication rates as much as 27 percent lower than other hospitals. The study also analyzes specific procedures and conditions including Coronary Artery Bypass Graft (CABG) and Percutaneous Transluminal Coronary Angioplasty (PTCA).

"We believe we provide excellent patient care and being recognized by this study reinforces our belief," said Jim Kaigler, President and Chief Executive Officer of Memorial Hospital.

To learn the details, log onto <http://www.100TopHospitals.com>. Look for "Solucient 100 Top Hospitals: Cardiovascular Benchmarks for Success" hospitals and a summary of the report.

# What's for Lunch?

Feb. 11-15

**Bay St. Louis-Waveland School District**  
Chef Salad, Milk and Condiments served daily  
**BREAKFAST**  
Monday: Holiday  
Tuesday: Holiday  
Wednesday: French Toast Sticks, Cereal, Toast, Fruit Juice.  
Thursday: Sausage and Biscuit, Cereal, Toast, Fruit Juice.  
Friday: Breakfast Pizza, Cereal, Toast, Juice.

**LUNCH**  
Monday: Holiday  
Tuesday: Holiday  
Wednesday: Red Beans and Rice with Sausage, Tuna Salad, Seasoned Potato Cuts, Green Beans, Fresh Banana, Strawberry Blend, Mexican Cornbread  
Thursday: Chili Cheese Fritos, American Sub Sandwich with Trimmings, Green Peas, Carrot Sticks with Dip, Fruit Cocktail, Fresh Fruit Bowl, Butter Cookie  
Friday: Pork Roast with Rice and Gravy, Cheese Pizza, Seasoned Lima Beans, Garden Salad with Dressing, Chilled Pear Slices, Applesauce, Yeast Roll

**Hancock North Central Gulfview and Charles B.**  
Monday: Holiday  
Tuesday: Holiday  
Wednesday: Red Beans and Rice with Sausage, Tuna Salad, Seasoned Potato Cuts, Green Beans, Fresh Banana, Strawberry Blend, Mexican Cornbread  
Thursday: Chili Cheese Fritos, American Sub Sandwich with Trimmings, Green Peas, Carrot Sticks with Dip, Fruit Cocktail, Fresh Fruit Bowl, Butter Cookie  
Friday: Pork Roast with Rice and Gravy, Cheese Pizza, Seasoned Lima Beans, Garden Salad with Dressing, Chilled Pear Slices, Applesauce, Yeast Roll

**LUNCH**  
Monday: Holiday  
Tuesday: Holiday  
Wednesday: Red Beans and Rice with Sausage, Tuna Salad, Seasoned Potato Cuts, Green Beans, Fresh Banana, Strawberry Blend, Mexican Cornbread  
Thursday: Chili Cheese Fritos, American Sub Sandwich with Trimmings, Green Peas, Carrot Sticks with Dip, Fruit Cocktail, Fresh Fruit Bowl, Butter Cookie  
Friday: Pork Roast with Rice and Gravy, Cheese Pizza, Seasoned Lima Beans, Garden Salad with Dressing, Chilled Pear Slices, Applesauce, Yeast Roll

**LUNCH**  
Monday: Holiday  
Tuesday: Holiday  
Wednesday: Red Beans and Rice with Sausage, Tuna Salad, Seasoned Potato Cuts, Green Beans, Fresh Banana, Strawberry Blend, Mexican Cornbread  
Thursday: Chili Cheese Fritos, American Sub Sandwich with Trimmings, Green Peas, Carrot Sticks with Dip, Fruit Cocktail, Fresh Fruit Bowl, Butter Cookie  
Friday: Pork Roast with Rice and Gravy, Cheese Pizza, Seasoned Lima Beans, Garden Salad with Dressing, Chilled Pear Slices, Applesauce, Yeast Roll

**LUNCH**  
Monday: Holiday  
Tuesday: Holiday  
Wednesday: Red Beans and Rice with Sausage, Tuna Salad, Seasoned Potato Cuts, Green Beans, Fresh Banana, Strawberry Blend, Mexican Cornbread  
Thursday: Chili Cheese Fritos, American Sub Sandwich with Trimmings, Green Peas, Carrot Sticks with Dip, Fruit Cocktail, Fresh Fruit Bowl, Butter Cookie  
Friday: Pork Roast with Rice and Gravy, Cheese Pizza, Seasoned Lima Beans, Garden Salad with Dressing, Chilled Pear Slices, Applesauce, Yeast Roll

**Murphy Elementary Schools**  
Served daily:  
Chef Salad, Bread, Dessert and Milk  
Condiments:  
Mustard/Mayo/Ketchup  
Sweet and Sour Sauce/Salsa  
BBQ Sauce, Hot Sauce or  
Taco Sauce  
**BREAKFAST**  
Monday: Mardi Gras  
Tuesday: Mardi Gras  
Wednesday: Mardi Gras  
Thursday: Cereal with Toast or Pancake Pup, Juice  
Friday: Cereal with Toast or Breakfast Pizza

**LUNCH**  
Monday: Mardi Gras  
Tuesday: Mardi Gras  
Wednesday: Mardi Gras  
Thursday: Cereal with Toast or Pancake Pup, Juice  
Friday: Cereal with Toast or Breakfast Pizza

**LUNCH**  
Monday: Mardi Gras  
Tuesday: Mardi Gras  
Wednesday: Mardi Gras  
Thursday: Cereal with Toast or Pancake Pup, Juice  
Friday: Cereal with Toast or Breakfast Pizza

**LUNCH**  
Monday: Mardi Gras  
Tuesday: Mardi Gras  
Wednesday: Mardi Gras  
Thursday: Cereal with Toast or Pancake Pup, Juice  
Friday: Cereal with Toast or Breakfast Pizza

**LUNCH**  
Monday: Mardi Gras  
Tuesday: Mardi Gras  
Wednesday: Mardi Gras  
Thursday: Cereal with Toast or Pancake Pup, Juice  
Friday: Cereal with Toast or Breakfast Pizza

**LUNCH**  
Monday: Mardi Gras  
Tuesday: Mardi Gras  
Wednesday: Mardi Gras  
Thursday: Cereal with Toast or Pancake Pup, Juice  
Friday: Cereal with Toast or Breakfast Pizza

Tidbits, Fruit Juice, Ice Cream Sandwich

**Hancock High School**  
Served daily:  
Chef Salad, Bread, Dessert and Milk  
Condiments:  
Mustard/Mayo/Ketchup  
Sweet and Sour Sauce/Salsa  
BBQ Sauce, Hot Sauce or  
Taco Sauce  
**LUNCH**  
Monday: Mardi Gras  
Tuesday: Mardi Gras  
Wednesday: Mardi Gras  
Thursday: Cereal with Toast or Pancake Pup, Juice  
Friday: Cereal with Toast or Breakfast Pizza

**LUNCH**  
Monday: Mardi Gras  
Tuesday: Mardi Gras  
Wednesday: Mardi Gras  
Thursday: Cereal with Toast or Pancake Pup, Juice  
Friday: Cereal with Toast or Breakfast Pizza

**LUNCH**  
Monday: Mardi Gras  
Tuesday: Mardi Gras  
Wednesday: Mardi Gras  
Thursday: Cereal with Toast or Pancake Pup, Juice  
Friday: Cereal with Toast or Breakfast Pizza

**LUNCH**  
Monday: Mardi Gras  
Tuesday: Mardi Gras  
Wednesday: Mardi Gras  
Thursday: Cereal with Toast or Pancake Pup, Juice  
Friday: Cereal with Toast or Breakfast Pizza

**LUNCH**  
Monday: Mardi Gras  
Tuesday: Mardi Gras  
Wednesday: Mardi Gras  
Thursday: Cereal with Toast or Pancake Pup, Juice  
Friday: Cereal with Toast or Breakfast Pizza

**LUNCH**  
Monday: Mardi Gras  
Tuesday: Mardi Gras  
Wednesday: Mardi Gras  
Thursday: Cereal with Toast or Pancake Pup, Juice  
Friday: Cereal with Toast or Breakfast Pizza



Josh DiSalvo, Assistant Manager ABC Rental, left, Janell Nolan, youth chairperson and senior marketing representative of Coast Electric Power Association; Matthew Kyle Ladner, December Youth of the Month; Adrian Mastenbaugh, Hancock High School counselor; and Charles Deik, owner ABC Rental.

## Exchange Club awards Ladner Outstanding Youth of Month

The Exchange Club of Hancock County has selected Matthew Kyle Ladner as its December Youth of the Month. Matthew is the son of Mike and Gail Ladner of Perkinston.

The club presented the award to Matthew Dec. 6 during its weekly meeting. ABC Rental sponsored the December Youth of the Month and presented Matthew with a \$50 Savings Bond.

As the senior class vice president and Student Government treasurer at Hancock High School, Ladner has received numerous scholastic awards and honors including Honor Roll, Who's Who Among

America's High School Students, National Honor Society, National Art Honor Society, Mu Alpha Theta, and the Beta Club.

Throughout his high school career, Ladner has been a member of the varsity and junior varsity basketball teams, cross-country track team, and track and field team.

He has been active in the community and has represented the Kiwanis Club at its Leadership Conference and as a page for the Mississippi House of Representatives.

Ladner is also a member St. Matthew the Apostle Catholic Church CYO.

Each month, nearly 1,000 Exchange Clubs throughout the United States and Puerto Rico honor a young man or woman as their club's Youth of the Month.

The students who receive this award have shown academic and leadership excellence. These outstanding youths go on to compete for the Hancock County Exchange Club Youth of the Year, District Youth of the Year, and ultimately the National Youth of the Year Award.

The National Exchange Club is a group of men and women working to make America a better place to live through one national project, the Prevention of Child Abuse, and other community service projects.

Goal is to become the premier service club in America by igniting the spirit of community service throughout the nation.

The Hancock County Exchange Club meets every Thursday at noon at the Waveland Holiday Inn.

## Head Start registration

Mississippi Action for Progress, Inc. (MAP), a non-profit child care organization, announced its recruitment for the 2002-03 school year. All children who will be 3 or 4 years of age on or before Sept. 1, 2002 are eligible and encouraged to apply at the Bay-Waveland Head Start Center, 301 Necaise Avenue, Bay St. Louis. Parents will need to have a certified birth certificate, proof of family income (W-2 form), compliance letter from the health department, and a Social Security card.

**LEGAL NOTICES** published in The Sea Coast Echo and other Mississippi newspapers are now on the INTERNET  
[www.mspublicnotices.com](http://www.mspublicnotices.com)

**Attention Kmart Shoppers**  
In the February 10, 2002 Kmart weekly ad circular, the School Spirit Sweepstakes applies to the 2/17 and 2/24 races only with the qualifying period being 2/10/02 - 2/23/02. Residents in the state of New York are not eligible to participate. Kmart is not running the sweepstakes in the state of New York. A copy of the complete and revised rules, which supercede all other communication regarding this promotion, are available at all Kmart locations at the Customer Service Desk.  
We regret any inconvenience this may have caused our customers.

# Business Showcase

**C & C Homes**  
Builds Quality Homes  
Let Us Save You Money!  
MS Lic #R05824  
PH: 255-5588  
We Cut Costs Not Corners!

Keep Up with Local News By Reading  
**The Sea Coast Echo**  
Established 1892  
No Censorship  
124 Court Street • Bay St. Louis, MS  
To Subscribe Call (228) 467-5474 • Fax: (228) 467-0333  
To Visit Our Web Site [seacoastecho.com](http://seacoastecho.com)  
To Email: [rponder@seacoastecho.com](mailto:rponder@seacoastecho.com)

**ADVERTISING PAYS**  
ADVERTISING PAYS  
ADVERTISING PAYS  
ADVERTISING PAYS  
Call 467-5474  
TO GET RESULTS NOW!

**FREEDOM FROM PAIN!!!**  
Headaches • Low Back Pain  
Neck Pain • Sciatica  
Pinched Nerves  
We are pleased to announce the addition of Dr. Scott Hoda, D.C., Chiropractor, to our staff.  
**HODA CHIROPRACTIC CLINIC**  
4308 Park Ten Dr., Diamondhead, MS  
255-5328  
Dr. Desmond Hoda, Chiropractor

**SAMS**  
AIR CONDITIONING & ELECTRICAL SERVICES  
(228) 467-0919  
SALES • SERVICE • INSTALLATIONS  
WE NOW OFFER PROFESSIONAL AIR DUCT CLEANING USING THE BRITISH TECHNOLOGY VIDEO CAMERA

**MAYO'S**  
HEATING AND AIR CONDITIONING  
SALES & SERVICE  
HEAT PUMP SPECIALIST  
Residential • Commercial  
GoodCents 467-5975  
HEAT PUMP LICENSED & BONDED  
509 Ulman Ave. • Bay St. Louis

**To Advertise Your Business Here Call Your Advertising Representative Cecilia or Suzette at 467-5474**

**1st Choice Carpet Cleaning**  
Next Day Service Now Available!  
\$18.49 PER ROOM FREE HALLWAYS  
ROOM MINIMUM NO HIDDEN CHARGES  
24 HOUR FLOOD SERVICE  
467-9517

**UGLY STAINED ROOF!**  
Mildew, Fungus & Mold Can DESTROY Your Roof! Your Ugly, Stained Roof Can Look Like New Again!  
"The Original" SHINGLE SHINE OF AMERICA  
Roof Stain Removal  
John Hall, Owner  
"YOUR ROOF WILL LOOK LIKE NEW!"  
Housewash, Concrete & Deck Cleaning  
Free estimate (228) 255-6111

**Debbie's Cafe**  
Country Cookin' at It's Best  
Here's The Dish On Us  
We like Hungry Customers  
We Dislike Poor Quality or Service  
Get to Know Us Over Breakfast, Lunch or Dinner  
11am-9pm  
Lunch \$5.95  
Dinner \$6.95  
7 DAYS A WEEK  
8am-10pm Sun-Thurs • 6am-Midnight Fri & Sat.

**CERTIFIED CARPET CLEANING**  
FAMILY OWNED & OPERATED SINCE 1991  
Furniture • Rug  
Tile & Grout Cleaning  
Carpet Restretching  
2 Rooms Plus Hall \$37.90\*  
5 Rooms \$89.95\*  
Rooms or areas over 250 sq. ft. cost an additional \$1.00 per sq. ft.  
467-2680  
Licensed & Insured

**COAST C.V. JOINT & AXLE, INC.**  
21243 Daughtery Road  
Long Beach, MS • (228) 452-4649  
Harold Beinhauer • Tony Wagner  
**SPECIAL!!**  
Over 90% of all cars, Rebuilt CV Joint & Axle installed, part, labor. While you wait.  
\$109.00 per side plus tax

**Close to My Heart**  
Rubber Stamps & Scrapbooks  
Free Weekly Rubber Stamping & Scrapbooking Classes at the Yellow House Gifts, Dunbar Ave.  
PLEASE COME - IT'S FUN!  
Host your own Home Party & get free stamps!  
Call Claudia Moon at 255-4788 or Michelle Kolf at 452-7261, Independent Consultants

Michael Schaefer announce and forth of their Kathryn S. David Jac Sharon Ja  
The bri  
uate of O  
and earn  
degrees at  
Southern  
is emplo

Mr. B  
Philadel  
Mrs. Will  
Louis ann  
ment and  
riage of  
Scherrie  
Michael A  
of Dor  
Avondale  
Joseph B  
The

The  
Avenue  
chosen is  
Kathy  
Scott Bla  
dent, Sue  
er; and  
secretary  
Other  
are Ter  
Meyer a  
The coa  
meeting  
nate a b  
activities

The fi  
new year  
Contest  
to be cor  
Mombo  
by Sprin  
Trash Ca  
and Kite  
April 20.

The C  
Tour will  
and the  
Sunday.

"The g  
is to help  
ly activi  
can enjo  
Coleman  
offer wi  
shops, m  
and mu  
Pinn.

"Curre  
are loca  
Avenue  
coming v  
months.

"We w  
area bec  
ple to  
friends a  
"It's p  
walking  
Special  
tion of t  
along th  
Black

## Weddings and Engagements

### Schaefer-Jacobi

Michael and Mary-Ellen Schaefer of Diamondhead announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Amy Kathryn Schaefer, to Kevin David Jacobi, son of Al and Sharon Jacobi of Waveland.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Our Lady Academy and earned BS and MBA degrees at the University of Southern Mississippi. She is employed with Wyet-

Aerst Pharmaceuticals.

The prospective groom is a St. Stanislaus graduate and attended Pearl River Community College and the University of Southern Mississippi.

He is employed with CSX Transportation.

The wedding will take place March 2, 2002 at 2:30 p.m. in Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church in Bay St. Louis.



Amy Schaefer and Kevin Jacobi

### Thornton-Berry

Mr. Bennie McLain of Philadelphia, Miss. and Mrs. Willie Pitts of Bay St. Louis announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Scherrie Tilese Thornton, to Michael Anthony Berry, son of Doris Landry of Avondale, La. and the late Joseph Berry.

The bride-elect is

employed with Taco Bell, and the prospective groom is employed with Discount Tire Spot.

The wedding will take place March 2, 2002 at 4 p.m. in the Community Center.

The children of the bride and groom are Scherrie Henderson, Adam Thornton and Joseph Berry.

### New Coleman Ave. officers

The new Coleman Avenue Coalition officers, chosen in November were Kathy Pinn, president; Scott Blackwell, vice president; Sue Ashman, treasurer; and Mary Krapsky secretary.

Other board members are Terri Green, Cyndi Meyer and Regina Bugee. The coalition has been meeting monthly to coordinate a busy year of special activities.

The first event for the new year is a Postcard Contest and Silent Auction to be conducted Feb. 22 at Mombo Graphix followed by Spring Clean-up and Trash Can Painting Contest and Kite Fly on Saturday, April 20.

The Charming Cottages Tour will take place in May, and the Wave-Fest will be Sunday, Sept. 1.

"The goal of the coalition is to help provide fun, family activities so that people can enjoy the great things Coleman Avenue has to offer with its businesses, shops, restaurants, beach and municipal pier," said Pinn.

"Currently 22 businesses are located on Coleman Avenue with two new ones coming within the next few months.

"We would love to see this area become a place for people to gather with their friends and families.

"It's perfect for fishing, walking and biking. Especially since the addition of the new boardwalk along the beach."

Blackwell added, "We

have so much to offer in a friendly laid-back atmosphere."

**BEST PAWN**  
Jewelry 666-7777  
bestpawn.com

**Ding**



Tammy Ehrlich and Damon Stafford

### Ehrlich-Stafford

Sharon Ehrlich of Bay St. Louis and Dwayne Ehrlich of Edgewater, Fla., announce the engagement of their daughter, Tammy Lou Ehrlich of Bay St. Louis, to Damon Andrew Stafford of Bay St. Louis. He is the son of Mary Stafford and Charles Stafford of Richmond Hill, Ga.

The bride-elect is a 1990 graduate of Bay High School and a 1994 and 2000 graduate of the University

of Southern Mississippi. She is employed with the Hancock County School District. Her grandmother is Louella Hebert of Bay St. Louis.

The prospective groom is a 1987 graduate of Richmond Hill High School. He is employed with Dub Herring Chrysler in Picayune.

Vows will be exchanged April 13 at Bayou Talle Baptist Church in Kiln.

### AARP to host Tax-aide program at libraries

It's tax time again, and the AARP volunteers will begin their Tax-Aide assistance program at the Bay St. Louis-Hancock County and Kiln public libraries.

Beginning Saturday, Feb. 2, the tax-aides will be available at the Bay St. Louis-Hancock County from 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the Seal Meeting Room.

They will be available every Tuesday and

Saturday, through April 13, from 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

At the Kiln Public Library, the aides will begin Thursday, Feb. 7, and will be available every Thursday through April 11 from 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

More information is available by calling the Bay St. Louis-Hancock County Library at 467-5282, or the Kiln Public Library at 255-1724.

## Black History program

The Hancock County Welcome Center 1-10 and Hwy. 607 will have a program in observance of Black History Month, Friday, February 15 beginning at 11 a.m.

Guest speaker will be Sidney Rushing of Gulfport. Art work will be provided by Joseph Pearson of Waveland and displays by Lillian Rogers of Pearlinton.

Entertaining will be the Mississippi Gulf Coast Job Corps of Gulfport and Charles Baker with the Department of the Navy, Stennis Space Center.

*Palace in the Pass*

225-452-1123

**WE RENT SPACE WALKS**



**ABC DENTAL Centers**

www.abcdental.com

Highway 90 • Bay St. Louis  
Near the Post Office  
**467-1081**

Hewes Ave. • Gulfport  
Near Pass Road  
**864-5361**

**CHARTER MORTGAGE**  
Mississippi Licensed Mortgage Company

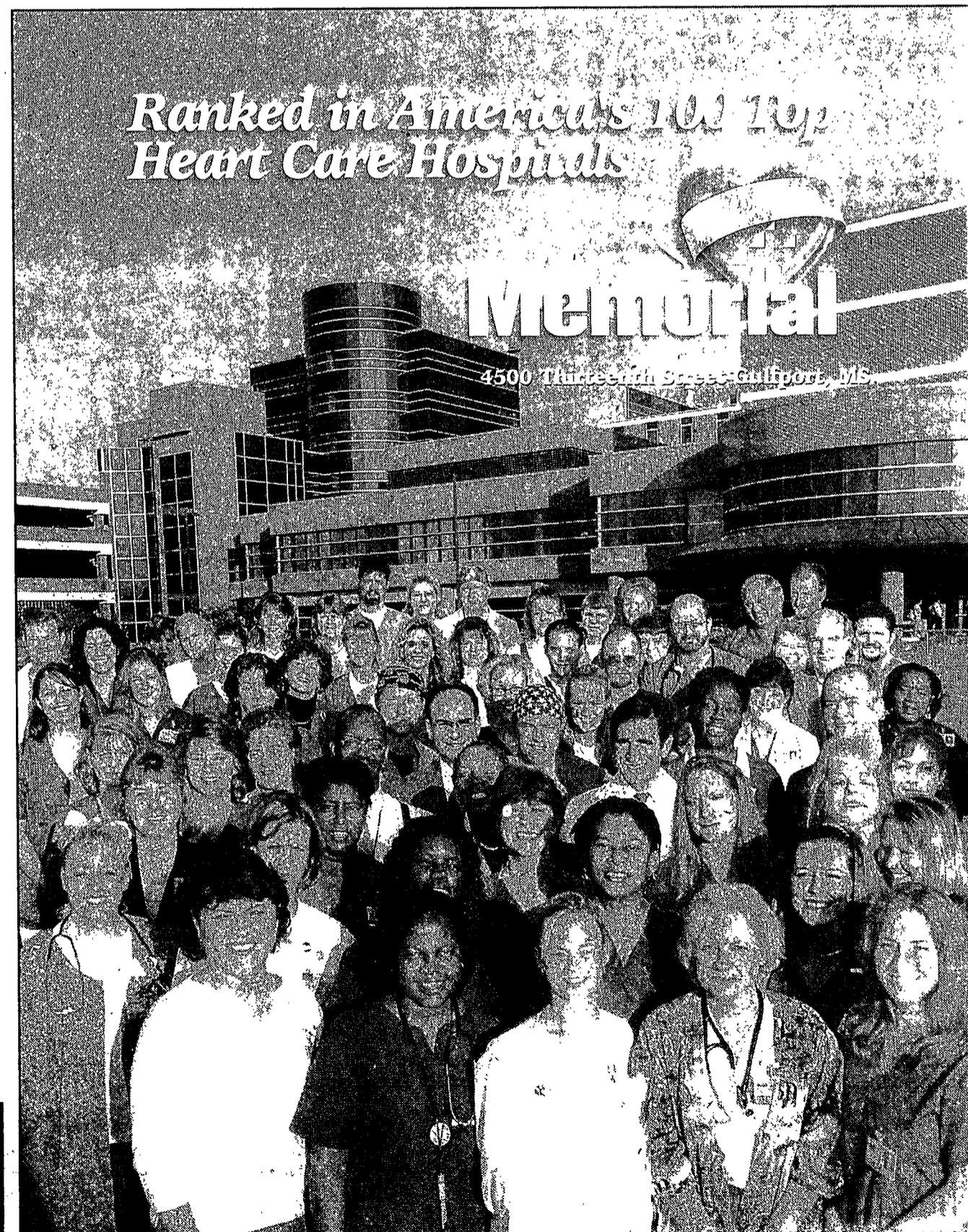
Due to Phenomenal Growth,  
We have relocated to

412 Hwy. 90, Suite 4, Bay St. Louis  
(Next to the Hancock County Chamber of Commerce)

**466-6680 Toll Free: 1-800-708-7886**

412 Hwy. 90, Suite 4 • Bay St. Louis • Next to the Hancock County Chamber of Commerce

**BEHOLD** CUSTOM FRAMING & GALLERY  
LIMITED EDITIONS • CONVERSATION FRAMING  
**50% Off All Preframed Prints**  
For a limited time  
295 Hwy. 90 Suite 22  
Bay St. Louis, MS • 467-8480



*Ranked in America's 100 Top Heart Care Hospitals*

**Memorial**

4500 Thirteenth Street, Gulfport, MS

### Memorial Heart Team receives recognition

In a study released by Solucient, the leading source of health care intelligence and benchmark information, Memorial Hospital was named to the "Solucient 100 Top Hospitals: Cardiovascular Benchmarks for Success."

This annual study names organizations that are among the best performing hospitals for treating heart attacks and cardiovascular disease with mortality and complication rates as much as 27 percent lower than other hospitals. The study also analyzes specific procedures and conditions including Coronary Artery Bypass Graft (CABG) and Percutaneous Transluminal Coronary Angioplasty (PTCA).

"We believe we provide excellent patient care and being recognized by this study reinforces our belief," said Jim Kaigler, President and Chief Executive Officer of Memorial Hospital.

To learn the details, log onto <http://www.100TopHospitals.com>. Look for "Solucient 100 Top Hospitals: Cardiovascular Benchmarks for Success" hospitals and a summary of the report.

# Hancock High School 2nd weeks Honor Roll

## Superintendent's List

### All As

**Grade 9:** Chayna Cosse, Lindsey Cuevas, Thomas Donaldson VI, Aaron Ladner, Micah Ladner, Tiffany Necaise, Kelyn Passmore, Katherine Sullivan, Kayla Summers, Ashton Sutton, Alvin Walsh III

**Grade 10:** Amanda Arcement, Matt Crittenden, Lauren Dauzat, Jason Ellis, Britney Farrell, Misty Harrel, Jennifer Ladner, Thomas Laudisi, Haley Lee Conrad Mauffray, Seth McIntosh, Brooke Necaise, Khue Nguyen, Matthew Pinter, Amber Shaw, Stephanie Sones, Pepper Vance, Lacey Wahl, Benjamin Warren, Christopher White

**Grade 11:** David Breland, Amber Faye, Kalin Genchev, Lacey Grimes, Brian Hamburg, Dana Harris, Erin Johnson, Cody Ladner, Mallerie Ladner, Marcus Ladner, Yves Martins, Devin Necaise, Lisa Peterson, Kayla Stephenson, Jessica Stimes, Jeremy Strief, Andrea White

**Grade 10:** Ryan Chotto, Lynsey Davis, Matthew Ladner, Ashley LaFontaine, Amanda Lovelace, Samantha McDonald, Chelsea Paschall, Karolina Sarnowska, Corbett Sheffield, Elizabeth Wilson

### Principal's List

### All As

**Grade 9:** Monica Allison, Andrew Almond, Amanda Altzman, Lorraine Anton, Tyler Bell, Shawn Best, Kyle Boehl, Ashley Boehnel,

Kandace Boos, Felicia Bryant, Dionna Bush, Alicia Cain, Victoria Campos, Matthew Cannon, Velvet Champagne, Allison Chauvin, Tony Chilmigras, Nathan Cooley, Cheri Cornwell, Kalan Cuevas, Rachael Diaz, Ashley Dickinson, Tabitha Donovan, Jenna Dubuisson, Kevin Francipane, Courtney Gaudet, Andrew Glose, Emma Harris, Alesia Haynes, Whitney Hudson, Marshall Hutchison, Ashley Ingram, Whitney Jackson, Brittany Jarrell, Stephen Jones, Jasper Knoblock, Kodie Koenenn, Justin Kopf, Lauren Lacoste, Heath Ladner, Sara Ladner, Savannah Ladner, Ashton Levens, Larry Lind

Joshua Malone, Blake McIver, Lareeta McKinnon, Jonathan McShane, Erica Moran, Bradley Morrow, Hillary Moulder, Ashley Necaise, Morgan Necaise, Gerald Padron, Casey Pangan, Jessica Pitts, Jessica Portal, Erica Rector, Kristy Root, Amber Simolke, Crystal Singleton, Brittany Smith, Kimberly Stewart, Cody Swilley, Roberto Talavera, Jennifer Velez, Courtney Vincent, Elizabeth White

**Grade 10:** Jaclyn Behre, Danielle Bordages, Trevin Burge, Jennifer Canaski, Kari Caple, Charles Carollo Jr., Rachel Courtney, Jennifer Crawford, Summer Dawsey, Lakisha Dedeaux, Melinda Dittmann, Robert Domke III, Diana Donovan, Melissa Duncan, Amber Emel, Nathan Esparza

Deven Fejka, Dwayne Garcia, Ashley Garfield, Ashley Gipson, Samantha Gregory, Kaley Hennessey, Johnathan Hoda, Cody Jones, Katie Jones, Joshua Juneau, Elizabeth Konrick, Chasity Ladner, Joshua Ladner, Matthew Ladner, Erica Lee, Louis Lester Jr., Freddie MacDonald, Michelle Mathews, Mary Mayzak, Thomas McGill, Victoria Monde, Remi Morgan, Laura Muller, Ashley Necaise, Lauren Necaise, Jake Nelson, Ashley Ory, Marae Patton, Matthew Rayborn, John Rogers, Amanda Ruiz, Angel Saucier, Kesha Saucier, Nicholas Saucier, Berry Scott, Hope Scully, Brittany Sellier, Sarah Serdynski, Heather Shaw, Aliana Smith, David Sones, Josh Sones, Adam Spiers, Corinne Spiers, Allen St. Germain, Justin Sylvest, Elizabeth Trosclair, Melissa Turner, Krystal Wilson, Summer Zulli

**Grade 11:** Natasha Arce, Dixie Austin, Daron Boone, Poshia Briney, Chelsea Caldwell, Michelle Campanali, Scott Colson, Rachelle Cordova, John Craven, Jonathan Cuevas, James Dunhurst, Theodore Farrell Jr., Jamie Flowers, Veronica Fucich, Rita Gable, Lori Gaudet, Vivian Gibson, Charles Guidos, Stacey Gunderson, Brandie Harris, Meghan Hedrick, Ashley Herndon, Brandon Hunt, Benjamin Hynes, Jacqueline Jeanfreau, Krystal

Kuhlmann, Adam Ladner, Daron Ladner, Dexter Ladner, Jada Ladner, Dung Le

Brandy Lombardino, Crystal Lott, Kendra McArthur, Layla Mitchell, Heather Moran, Cody Owens, Jessica Paige, Amber Payne, Courtney Peterson, Eric Quibodeaux, Virginia Rodriguez, Brandon Shaw, Belynn Sheffield, Cynthia Spangler, Joshua Spiers

Jeremy Stilwell, Flynn Talley, Hope Theobald, Maegan Thornton, Naem Uddin, Paloma Vasconcelos, Jesse Waldroup, Kacey Watts, Lindsey Wheeler, Kortney Wilkinson, Sarah Wilkinson, Kadi Zahniser, Ashley Zoerner

**Grade 12:** Donald Allison, Richard Altzman, Brandie Beeson, Jonathan Biddle, Don Boudreaux, Samantha Breshears, Steven Breun, Damion Cuevas, Warren Dubose, Amanda Francis, Schenel Fricke, Amandia Garnett, Rebekah Gipson, Amanda Graham, Robert Hoda, Sara Holifield, Gregory Homer, Crystal Ingersol, Tara Keller

Phuong Le, Ashley Malley, Christie Mitchell, Donny Moran, Kreshelle Nicholson, James Payne, Sara Reynolds, Mandy Rothering, Ryan Sackett, Doni Shetter, Leslie Snider, Christopher Spiers, Matthew Sullivan, Evelyn Tarver, Melanie Tisdale, Kerri Watts, Justin M. Webb, Brandon Zulli

###

## Donation



**Hancock Medical Center's Foundation president, Ellis C. Cuevas, right, receives a \$1,000 donation from Paulette McLain, Waveland Wal-Mart's Community Involvement coordinator and lay-a-way manager. The Hancock Medical Center's Foundation assists the local hospital in helping to purchase equipment and other items for the facility.**

## CUSTOM COUNTER TOPS & CABINETS



Kitchens • Baths  
Factory Cabinets

Laminate & SSV Solid Surface Veneer  
All Solid Surfaces • Granite  
Kitchen Designer on Staff

FREE  
In-Home Estimates

4070 Hwy 90 • Waveland  
467-3395 • 1-888-915-3395

Sat by appt only • Open 8-5 Mon - Fri • 40 Years Experience

# Bay High School Honor Roll, second nine weeks

### ALPHA

**Grade 9:** Jilean Baldree, Trysta Bradley, William Edmonds, Elizabeth Floyd, James Hamilton, Carolyn Hardin, Cy Hill, Angela Hughes, Tabitha Jones, Elizabeth Krass, Bradley Ldner

Sarah LaFontaine, Andrew Lamier, Dejean Laughlin, Lorenzo Lewis, Mieu Ly, Christopher Magee, Sara Minear, Bonnie Myers, Valtresia Myles, Willow Nero, Kendra Reed, Crystal Scretching, Amber Smith, Whitney Thomas, James Walker

**Grade 10:** Samantha Abbott, Bliss Acker, Tara Atwell, Daniel Bhuiyan, Brad Bivens, Colin Bourgeois, Michele Brack, Arreal Brown, Brady Burrell, Amy Clark, Brianna Corr, Ryan Dedeaux, Jared Dunklin, Shannon Fayard, Zachary Ferry, Brandi Fisher, Jacqueline Fouasnon, Jessica Gardner, Brittney Goodwin, Tyesa Hawkins, Brandon Hofer, Jessica Johnson, Heather Ladner, Lauren Ladner, Byron Landry, Kiet Le, Emily Liner, Joanna Mannion, Chanelle Montgomery, Shawn Moran, Elizabeth Mueller

Christopher Payet, Robert Pitre, Leslie Rester, Smanatha Richardson, Jennifer Rivera, Jenna Rose, Kayla Russo, Arrian White, Alicia Williams, Shaouon Willis, Lauren Zimmerman

**Grade 11:** Brittany Bates, Michael Carpenter, Amanda Clausen, Allyson Cleaves, Breana Conaway, Thuy Dang, Joseph Graves, Alexandra Grieves, Chelsea Hawkins, Lacey Irias, Erinn Jackson, Edwina

James, Sheena Johnson, Eric King, Tara Ladner, Vernon Ladner, Tan Ly, Jennifer Magee

Coarlie Matthews, Michael Miller, Geneva Mitchell, Andrew Monks, Lindsey Necaise, James Pernicio, Robin Pernicio, Megan Pitre, Stephanie Reed, Brian Schmitt, Paul Smith, Latessa Spencer, Christine Tillman, Adam Viescas

**Grade 12:** Andrew Baldree, Dusty Bankston, Adam Barrett, Catherine Benvenutti, Ashley Burgess, Amanda Carter, April Condiff, Phong Dang, Joshua Dastugue, Jewell Davis, Julius Egloff, Katie Fillingame

Stephen Fouasnon, Amy Frierson, Kurt Graves, Miguel Graves, Charles Hawkins, John Hozey, Kirsten Huber, Crystal Humphres, Eric Hunt, Dana Kimmel, Christina Leslie, Brandi Mannion, Amanda Mario, Lisa Page, Jennifer Patterson

Lainey Perrot, Samantha Polkey Felicity Ross, Alison Schulz, Elisa Shera, Brent Smith, Cody Smith, Daniel Stanton, Elena Stawschenko, Byron Taylor, Sky Thomas, Christopher Thoms, Marjorie Ticer, AnaLaura Toledo, Nicole Washington, Sarah Worrell, Timothy Wright

**BETA**  
**Grade 9:** Serena Bane, Brett Carr, Jeremy Chester, Phillip Chisesi, Dorman

David, Ran Davis, Eulalio Elizondo, Jessica Favre, Skyler Gex, Whitney Gladney, Cali Hayes, Katherine Jones, Ashley Ladner, Tangy Ladner, Samantha Love, Rebecca McWilliams, Sarah Powell, Brittany Rolison, Felicia Ross, Brent Scelson, Cara Siegel

Lacey Sipsey, Travis Smith, Kara Sotak, Lisa Stoerner, John Michael Stribling, Blair Strong, Brittany Strong, Benjamin Thompson, Matthew Turcotte, Jessica Walker, Stella Wilkerson, Jovan Williams

**Grade 10:** Mathew Adams, Misty Bennett, Benjamin Bourgeois, Jarrod Bourgeois, Jesse Burgess, Courtney Cann, Trevor Collier, Brian Corr, James Everhart, Michael Gros, Crystal Harris, Brittany Johnson, Felicia Lang, Tiffany Lenain, Madison Murphy, Mindy Necaise, Lindsay Richardson, Donald Rush, Christina Shiflett, Marquez Singleton, Elysha Thompson, Robert Walley

**Grade 11:** Guy Alleman, Mathew Barbier, Jesse Beck, Samantha Billingsley, Adam Bouma, Danielle Burge, Jeanne Duplechin, Ashleigh Favre, David Garcia, Neil Green, Libby Gyins, Sabrina Gyins, John Hendrix

Paul Houston, Hao Huynh, Matthew Johnson, James Jordan, Eric Kinard, Carmen Labat, Crystal

Leslie, Margaret Lewallen, Halcyon Morris, Jake Pearce, Ashley Poillion, Ashley Ready, Nicole Saucier, Brandon Strong, Santana Wilks

**Grade 12:** Phillip Bell, Lyndse Bourgeois, Robert Bourgeois, Timothy Bragg, Devon Breland, Rachelle Combs, Sherry Cuave, Alicia Fulton, Shawn Gaines, Christopher Gilmore, Ashley Higdon, Kyle Hubbard, Trey Island, Alvin Kingston, Roger Mitchell, Alex Murray, Dustin Poore, Sarah Richardson, Sharmaine Rieux, Cynthia Rivera, Brittany Savarese, Charles Strong, Joshua Todd, Yen Tran, Heather Wilkerson

###

###

## HOMESTEAD EXEMPTIONS

Homestead exemption applications will be taken from January 2, 2001 through April 1, 2002. These applications must be filed in the Bay St. Louis office of the Hancock County Tax Assessor between the hours of 8:00am and 5:00pm.

You must be living in your home as of January 1, 2002 to qualify for homestead exemption for the current year.

The following information is needed to file your application.

- recorded warranty deed
- cost of property
- down payment amount
- license plate number's for vehicles registered in Hancock County (must have vehicles registered in Hancock County)
- If you are over 65 Proof of age
- If you are receiving 100% disability benefits proof of your disability.
- If you have vehicles licensed in other states you must show reason.
- Is any Part of the property rented?

You must re-file your homestead exemption application if

- You became 65 years of age.
- You became 100% disabled.
- You acquired a new residence
- You acquired additional" property that adjoins your homestead.
- Your marital Status changed (divorced, widowed, separated etc.)

If you have any questions please call 228-467-4425 or 888-409-6239

Jimmie, Ladner, Jr.  
Tax Assessor / Collector  
Hancock County

## CASH ~ CHECK SERVICES

LOWER FEES-MORE CASH TO YOU!

Cash In Minutes!  
CALL 466-4450

Bring in driver's license, bank statement, pay check stub and we will defer deposit of your check for 14 days. It's that simple.

# Declare Your Love

## Valentine's Day: A time to care for loved ones and ourselves

By Joyce Rose Romm, LMSW

As we become adults, our idea of romance includes passion, joy and love.

These feelings are particularly heightened at this time of year, with Valentine's Day just around the corner.

We learn early on that this is a special day to convey love and adoration to special people in our lives. During grade school we are encouraged to exchange Valentine messages to our classmates, our teachers, family members and other important people.

Do you remember the fascination with how many Valentines you received and how exciting it was to celebrate our ability to love and be loved?

This tradition still exists. Just as we celebrate mothers on Mother's Day, fathers on Father's Day and members of the armed services on Memorial Day, we mark Valentines Day as a time to express admiration, loving feelings and romantic notions to those in our lives.

You hear stories about how couples will become engaged or married on Feb. 14. It declares the celebration of the couple's devotion to one another. As soon as the New Year begins, the general public is inundated with "love" messages through cards, flowers, candy, stuffed animals, clothing or jewelry.

But there's more to love than just a singing teddy bear. The ability to love another is first being able to love yourself. This does not mean only on Feb. 14; it means every day. It's necessary to feel secure about who you are and what is important to you. Otherwise, we fall into the trap of relying on others to validate us. Those considered "different than the norm" might start questioning themselves.

It is not easy when society is telling you "now is the time to express romantic notions," and it isn't possible to act like a robot following orders. Like other holidays, Valentine's Day



should be celebrated in spirit throughout the year.

Honoring thy mother and father is for every day. The same is true for honoring thy country and those who risk their lives so we can be free. How about a holiday for "Honor Thyself"?

Yes, others, especially those we love, are important. But so is what you think, feel and believe. Never doubt who you are or whether you are loved. Celebrate your unique talents and gifts. As Shakespeare says "To thine

own self be true."

Holidays come and go, but the messages are for all days.

Joyce Rose Romm of Pass Christian is founder and director of Social Singles, an organization for single people who want to build friendships while having fun. She is a licensed social worker with a master's degree in social work from the New York University School of Social Work.

For information on Social Singles, contact Romm at 228-452-2358.

### THE HISTORY OF VALENTINE'S DAY

As early as the fourth century B.C., the Romans engaged in an annual young man's rite to passage to the God Lupercus. The names of the teenage women were placed in a box and drawn at random by adolescent men; thus, a man was assigned a woman companion for the duration of the year, after which another lottery was staged. After eight hundred years of this cruel practice, the early church fathers sought to end this practice... They found an answer in Valentine, a bishop who had been martyred some two hundred years earlier.

According to church tradition St. Valentine was a priest near Rome in about the year 270 A.D. At that time the Roman Emperor Claudius-II who had issued an edict forbidding marriage.

This was around when the heyday of Roman empire had almost come to an end. Lack of quality administrators led to frequent civil strife. Learning declined, taxation increased, and trade slumped to a low, precarious level. And the Gauls, Slavs, Huns, Turks and Mongolians from Northern Europe and Asian increased their pressure on the empire's boundaries. The empire was grown too large to be shielded from external aggression and internal chaos with existing forces. Thus more of capable men were required to be recruited as soldiers and officers. When Claudius became the emperor, he felt that married men were more emotionally attached to their families, and thus, will not make good soldiers. So to assure quality soldiers, he banned marriage.

Valentine, a bishop, seeing the trauma of young lovers, met them in a secret place, and joined them in the sacrament of matrimony. Claudius learned of this "friend of lovers," and had him arrested. The emperor, impressed with the young priest's dignity and conviction, attempted to convert him to the Roman gods, to save him from certain execution. Valentine refused to recognize Roman Gods and even attempted to convert the emperor, knowing the consequences fully.

On February 24, 270, Valentine was executed.

"From your Valentine"

While Valentine was in prison awaiting his fate, he came in contact with his jailor, Asterius. The jailor had a blind daughter. Asterius requested him to heal his daughter. Through his faith he miraculously restored the sight of Asterius' daughter. Just before his execution, he asked for a pen and paper from his jailor, and signed a farewell message to her "From Your Valentine," a phrase that lived ever after.

Valentine thus became a Patron Saint, and spiritual overseer of an annual festival. The festival involved young Romans offering women they admired, and wished to court, handwritten greetings of affection on February 14. The greeting cards acquired St. Valentine's name.

### Designing Women

Bridal Wear • Lingerie • Accessories

10% Off Lingerie

With this ad

WE ALSO CARRY GIFT SETS, JEWELRY AND MORE!

1212 E. Pass Rd. • Gulfport • 228-896-5315

Mon-Sat 10am - 6pm, Sun 12pm - 6pm

After Hours Appointments Available

### For Your Valentine...

Diamond & Gemstone Rings • Pearls

Slide Bracelets Earrings Loose Diamonds

14K & 10K Gold Chains & Bracelets

CYMA 14K Gold Watches TAG Heuer Watches

Roses Dipped in real 24k Gold



PAV & BROOME

WATCHMAKERS & JEWELERS, INC.

2413 14th Street • Gulfport • 863-3699

Financing Available

Mastercard • American Express • Visa • Discover

### Valentine Ballon

Bouquets

1 mylar & 3 latex helium balloons with weight.

Happy Valentine's Day

\$5.00

Order early!

Gifts & Crafts, Etc.

2406 McLaurin

Waveland (next to McDonald's)

467-0910

10 - 6 Mon - Sat

### Dab-oval Jewels etc.

Estate Jewelry & Fine Gifts

JOIN THE PARTY

Feb 9th, 5-7pm

Artist Reception for

Watercolor/Mixed Media

Artist - Lou Jordan

Exhibiting at the

NEW "Upstairs Gallery"

Complimentary Refreshments

In Time for Mardi Gras & Valentines Day

Exciting NEW Crystal, Art Glass and Fine Jewelry

\*FREE CHAMPAGNE thru Feb. 14

138 Main St. • Bay St. Louis

466-4770

\*With Purchase of \$300

### Give a gift of love!

A massage or aromasteam-facial with a gift bag of candles or homemade soaps.

Couples Gift Certificates too!

HEALING ART CLINIC & AROMATHERAPY GIFT SHOP

121 Court St. • Bay St. Louis • 467-8252

### Exciting, Affordable

Gifts & Accessories

For Your

Valentine!

Complimentary Gift Wrap

It Costs No More...It's Just Nicer At

ELLEN KANE

GIFTS

Hwy 90 • Bay St. Louis • 467-8033

10-5:30 M-Sat



### The Sweetest & Most Meaningful Gifts Come From...

HEAVEN

824 A Hwy. 90 • Bay St. Louis • 467-0151

Next to Los Tes Amigos Restaurant

### Romance In Bloom Forever!

24K Gold Dipped Roses \$50.00

Available Now At...

Bayou Jewelers & Watch Repair

2438 Mc Laurin St.

Waveland, MS

466-0425

**Ruby Begonia**

Flowers and Gifts

Your Prestige Florist for the Ultimate in Floral Design and Good Taste!

**VALENTINE SPECIAL**

1 Dozen Long Stem Roses in Vase - \$45.99 Cash & Carry!

1 Dozen Long Stem Roses wrapped in lace paper - \$21.99 Cash & Carry!

228-467-7033

866-467-7033

630 Highway 90 • Waveland, MS 39576

Award Winning Design Staff!

"We are here to serve you...It's just that simple"

**VALENTINE**

Adorable Heart & Kiss Shaped Jewelry Boxes Several Sizes to Choose From

P.J. Salvage Valentine Pajamas, Boxers & Slippers

Sterling Silver Floating Heart Necklaces

I Love Lucy Memorabilia Including Chocolates and Lucy's Famous Candy Bar

Valentine Cards & More...

**etc...etc...**

102 N. Beach Blvd., Bay St. Louis

Open 7 Days a Week • 466-9010



## AREA DEVOTIONAL &amp; DIRECTORY PAGES

REFLECTIONS  
ON LIFEBy Father Jerome  
LeDoux, SVD

## There's no escaping politics

"I'm not a politician!" is the rallying cry of certain people running for office. They figure that, since they have no political background in public service, they do not carry the baggage of politicians, and are therefore clean before the public eye. That is partially true; yet, everyone is a politician.

That's right. It begins at home. Imitating the forbidden fruit and other negotiations between Adam and Eve, husband and wife soon grasp the truth of the song's message, "You got to give a little, take a little; let your poor heart break a little. That's the story of, that's the glory of love." And politics.

Yes, the very cradle of politics is the union of woman and man soon followed by the physical cradle itself occupied by a little person.

Immediately, politics has moved from a unit of two to a unit of three, which continues to add up as the multiplication of little people continues.

Perhaps taking their cue from mama and papa, siblings early on set about developing good relationships with one another.

They usually love each other to death, yet find daily opportunities to engage in proverbial rivalries.

So, politics is not only not a dirty word of itself, but one of the most basic, desirable and necessary realities in the life of every human being.

It is nothing more nor less than the interaction between people as they try to reach their personal life's goals while enabling others to reach theirs as well.

It becomes dirty only when we introduce selfishness into the equation of any unit, whether it's a married couple alone or with children, a community, a nation. No couple, no family, no community, no state or country can choose whether to be involved in politics or not. We always have to interact.

This is brought home in many ways. Taking its cue from the Holy See, the Catholic Church, for instance, tells its priests and religious to stay out of politics. Apart from the laughable, historical fact that this would mean staying out of the Church, each congregation is confronted with community politics.

Unless we leave the communities we live in, we cannot avoid their problems. In the February 2, 2002 mayoral election in New Orleans, one of the juicy items on the ballot was the minimum wage increase.

By election day, sponsors for the minimum wage increase had signed up and received a commitment of support from scores of churches of various denominations and origins. One way or other, churches have to speak to the pros and

cons of an issue so vital to an eventual living wage.

I was quite chagrined to find that I had a poor grasp of the pros and cons of the minimum wage increase until the very end of the campaign.

Frankly, I have to say that the churches were hoodwinked into a bogus cause which, though attractive of itself, has several negative implications and outcomes.

For instance, a dollar increase at the entry level or any level should be determined by supply and demand in the open market. Bring in more business, more companies, and demand grows for workers who are in short supply.

Companies then pay more because they have to compete for workers.

Raise prices artificially, and companies contemplating moving into the area turn in another direction for cheaper pastures. Worse, some businesses already in place in town move away across county lines if they can.

Another scenario features small companies which have preset a ceiling for the wages they can afford to pay their help.

Rather than change that ceiling in the face of a minimum wage increase, most will either drop some workers and use overtime, or decrease the working hours of a number of workers.

The bottom line is, workers cannot beat companies which know how to shift expenses. So much for the non-involvement of the Church.

And legion are the inevitable, vital issues, reaching to and beyond abortion, euthanasia, drugs, genetic engineering, school vouchers and the environment.

At any given moment, family, church, state, school and the workplace all have their full share and drama of politics, for in each of them we are constantly striving to govern our own and the lives of others in such a way that we all derive the greatest benefits both in time and eternity.

And don't make the huge mistake of saying: "Well, at least in the world of sports we don't have the haunting presence of politics everywhere."

It is getting to the point where the Zebras (referees), players, coaches and fans all want a piece of the action their way or no way. That, dear heart, is the raw foundation of selfish, negative, dirty politics. I need not get into the frequent wrangling and loud arguments with profanities and obscenities.

"Render to Caesar what belongs to Caesar," Jesus admonishes us, "and to God what belongs to God" (Matthew 22:21). That's right.

There is a time for politicking on earth and a time for politicking in heaven.

## Scripture says . . .

Notable sayings about  
the Holy Bible

BY ED YOUNG

Daniel Webster: "If there is anything in my thoughts or style to commend, the credit is due to my parents for instilling in me an early love of the scriptures.

"If we abide by the principles taught in the Bible, our country will go on prospering and to prosper; but is we and our posterity neglect its instruction and authority, no man can tell how sudden a catastrophe may overwhelm us and bury our glory in profound obscurity.

Scripture says: "Train up the child in the way he should go and when he is old, he will not depart from it." Proverbs 22:6. Is America doing that?

Abraham Lincoln: "I believe the Bible is the best gift God has ever given to man.

"All the good from the Saviour of the world is communicated to us through this book."

Scripture says: "The world is a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path." Psalm 119:105.

May this light shine again in

## The "Word" for the Week

## Love

Dennis J. Prutow • Box 303, Sterling, KS 67579

## God demonstrates His love

A demonstration is something in which you participate. It differs from a display.

When a car is on display, you can look at it and crawl around it. Then the salesman walks up and asks if you want a demonstration.

You can get behind the wheel and see how the car performs in traffic and on the road.

In the same way, God demonstrates His love. Here is how the Bible puts it. "God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us" (Romans 5:8).

The cross is not simply a public display of affection. People caught up in the love of God encounter the cross. God's love does not embrace the pretentious and self-righteous. God's love grips the unlovely.

God comes to the criminal, the liar, the swindler and the cheat. He comes to people who realize they cannot earn recognition from Him.

God sends Christ into the world as a surrogate. Criminals, deserve punishment. Christ is the ultimate substitute in the game of life.

He accepts capital punishment for those who deserve the death penalty.

They also put their trust in Christ's sacrifice on their behalf.

They have nothing to offer Him and everything to gain. When we realize our need of Christ and trust in Him, we receive the demonstration of God's love.

To hear more on the same topic, call toll free for the "mini-message of the week," 1-800-777-0389 or visit [www.sterlingpulpit.org](http://www.sterlingpulpit.org).

## St. Ann-St. John Church News

Father John Kelly, pastor,  
228-467-4746

**Mass Schedule:**  
St. Ann Catholic Church, Lower Bay Road, Saturday Vigil Mass, 4 p.m.

Sunday masses: St. John Catholic Church, Lakeshore Road, mass at 8 a.m.; St. Ann, 10:30 a.m.

Weekday masses (St. Ann): Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, 8:30 a.m.; Wednesday, 6:30 p.m.

Visitors are welcome.

**Lenten Schedule**

Feb. 13: Ash Wednesday, the first day of Lent and a day of fast and

abstinence.

8:30 a.m. Mass, St. Ann  
7 p.m. Mass, St. John.

Distribution of ashes at the masses.

Each Wednesday during Lent, Mass and Stations of the Cross at 6:30 p.m.

During Lent Mass will be celebrated in church instead of the chapel.

Feb. 17: Children's Mass

Feb. 20: Father Jack will conduct Bible study class in the education building immediately following Mass and Stations of the Cross. Class will continue each Wednesday during Lent.

Bay Catholic Elementary  
students '100 days smarter'

Bay Catholic students were "100 days smarter" Jan. 24.

They celebrated the 100th day of school with lots of learning and fun.

Nearly 400 students walked their way through a giant "100," created collages of 100 things, participated in math games and

brought collections for the "100 Day Museum."

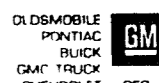
The students began the day with 100 exercises and finished the day with "100 Kids in the Gym."

There was a bandstand dance with Matt Johns providing music of top hits of the past.



MARK DeRUSSY  
President

Hwy 90 W. P.O. Box 2118  
Bay St. Louis, MS 39521



OLDSMOBILE  
PONTIAC  
BUICK  
GMC TRUCK  
CHEVROLET  
GEO

Bus Phone 467-6521  
864-3504

ADVERTISING PAYS  
ADVERTISING PAYS  
ADVERTISING PAYS

Call 467-5474

TO GET RESULTS  
NOW!



Rickey  
(228) 463-0540

Rickey's

Fax 463-0588  
207 Coleman Avenue • Waveland, MS 39576

## Henley Timber Company

We would like to buy your logs, poles, pulpwood and hardwood timber. Small tracts or Large tracts.

Call Day or Night 255-3082

## SAM'S AIR CONDITIONING

467-0949



LICENSED ELECTRICIAN  
All Work Guaranteed

## Gifts By The Bay

Carole Bianco, Owner

113-A North Beach Blvd. • Bay St. Louis, MS 39520

228-466-6337 • Toll Free 1-877-589-2870

e-mail: [caroleb765@aol.com](mailto:caroleb765@aol.com)

SERVICE CALLS ONLY

\$29.95

Keith Johnson  
Customer Service

HOME Priority

HTG., A/C & APPLIANCES

SERVICING HANCOCK, HARRISON, JACKSON

AND PEARL RIVER COUNTIES

467-2939 • 864-8060 • 875-0073 • 696-0780 • 749-8100

Pass Wholesale Supply, Inc.  
Wholesale Plumbing Supplies

- Since 1975 -



308-10 Fleitas Ave., Pass Christian  
(228) 452-4616



SERVING THE GULF COAST SINCE 1899

"All Line Independent Insurance Agency"

114 Main St. • PO Box 270

Bay St. Louis, MS 39520-0270

(228) 467-5496

## POWELL CHIROPRACTIC CENTER

SPECIALIZING IN NERVE AND SPINAL REHABILITATION

William L. Powell, D.C.

EST. 1979 • PALMER GRADUATE

Hours: 826 Hwy 90

M, Tu, W, F Bay St. Louis, MS 39520

9:00 - 12:00, 2:00-6:00 (228) 467-1018

## DIAMONDHEAD CLEANERS

Full Service • On Site Professional Cleaners



255-8606

Leisure Time Drive  
Diamondhead, MS 39525

AIR CONDITIONING • HEATING  
REFRIGERATION

AIR - CARE  
Installation & Repair

Serving Hancock & Harrison Counties Since 1988

(228) 467-1448

Keith & Rhonda Aubert 912 Old Spanish Trail

Owners Waveland, MS 39573

## Statewide Insurance Services

AFLAC • Auto • Boat • Bonds • Builders Risk  
Commercial • Health • Homeowners • Life  
Mobile Home • Notary • Prepaid Legal • Renters

Tel: (228) 255-1188

Fax: (228) 255-5753

P.O. Box 480

Kiln, MS 39556

Email: [ms\\_ins@bellsouth.net](mailto:ms_ins@bellsouth.net)

Dub Herring  
Chrysler

808 Memorial Blvd. • 799-3110

1-800-796-5337 • Picayune

"THAT'S A GOOD CHRYSLER, PAW PAW!"



## THE PEOPLES BANK

"When PEOPLE come First"

Bay St. Louis 467-9296

Diamondhead 255-4450

Pass Christian 867-2269

WWW.ThePeoples.com

Locations from Diamondhead to Ocean Springs

## Kent &amp; Sue's Quick Stop

& Laundry - All New Machines w/AC

Check Cashing - Seafood In Season

467-7797

## LAKESHORE

BODY SHOP

Expert Collision Repair & Painting • 24 HR. Towing

TONY CATANIA • OWNER

P.O. Box 263 • 7415 Lee Rd. • Lakeshore, MS 39558

PH: (228) 467-1535 • After 5pm (228) 467-3130

WE TAKE THE DENTS OUT OF ACCIDENTS

## David Bassett

Certified Public Accountant

P.O. Box 2190

Bay St. Louis, MS 39521

Phone: 228-463-0632

Fax: 228-463-9549

E-Mail: [DBASSETT@AOL.COM](mailto:DBASSETT@AOL.COM)

## Harrison Finance

COMPANY



Joey Temples  
Manager

845-a Highway 90

Bay St. Louis, MS 39520

TEL: (228) 463-1911

FAX: (228) 463-0985

A Subsidiary of Hancock Holding Company

Telephone: (228) 467-8282

Fax: (228) 467-3135



Post Office Box 2219

1121 Highway 90

Bay St. Louis, MS 39521-2219

# St. Stanislaus honor roll

Brother Ronald Hingle, S.C., principal of St. Stanislaus, has recognized the following students for achieving honor roll status for the first semester of the 2001-2002 academic session.

Of the 566 students in grades 6-12 attending St. Stanislaus, 41 percent achieved honor roll status for the first semester.

## SENIORS

**PRESIDENT'S HONOR ROLL:** (4.0 Average): Taylor Butterworth, Sherwin Leung, and Bobby Morell.

**ALPHA HONOR ROLL:** David Beckner, Ty Breaux, Jarrod Gilmore, Matthew Heyer, Stephen Kulikowski, Brian Landry, Fisher Maddox, Robert Mayne, Sebastian Nieves, Eddie Renz, Cheick Sanankoua, Rodrigo Sevilla Baltodano, Lance Stringfellow, Tom Swayze, and Brian Sy.

**BETA HONOR ROLL:** Brent Acker, Cherubin Alcalen, Balla BA, Blake Bilbo, Michael Cobb, Drew Cranford, Keith Fleniken, Ross Ford, Curry Gambel, Grey Hammett, Brandon Jung, B. J. Ledet, Justin Lowrey, John Murphy, Terry Naidoo, Chris Patterson, Mark Pelleteri, Sean Reddoch, Anthony Shaw, Logan Walker, Brian Webb, Aaron White, and Sheldon White.

## JUNIORS

**PRESIDENT'S HONOR ROLL:** (4.0 Average): Frederick Mallini, and

Nathan Sison.

**ALPHA HONOR ROLL:** Uchenna Aduba, Jeremy Boelte, Will Boxx, Jesse Brown, Paul Burnett, Will Coleman, Peter Doty, Nate Franco, Chris Griffith, Chad Ladner, Peter Murphy, Jason Nicosia, Phillip OH, Kunal Patel, Junior Salumu-Shabani, Stephen Schroll, Danny Surbeck, and Louis West.

**BETA HONOR ROLL:** Ryan Bierkorte, Matt Burke, Ryan DeLaune, Mason Gordon, Scott Hillanbrand, Brett Hode, Ryan Hoover, Ben McMath, Mario Nieves, Ted Plocharski Schutt, Robert Reso, Paul Thibodeaux, and J.W. Washington.

## SOPHOMORES

**PRESIDENT'S HONOR ROLL:** (4.0 Average): Beau Brodtmann, Michael Enloe, and Andrew Waterman.

**ALPHA HONOR ROLL:** Bob Bass, Aaron Baxter, David Bradley, John Chapoton, Stefan Clayton, Luca Giardino, Mason Hester, T.J. Koger, Kyle Lewis, David May, and Corey Vollenweider.

**BETA HONOR ROLL:** Marc Belizaire, Brad Blanchard, David Clayton, Chris France, Tommy Henry, Eric Huckabee, Mike Iskandar, Jake Johnson, Jared Kuehne, Hunter Landgrave, Josh Lingsch, Craig Maxson, Kelly McBride, Will Mestayer, Joe Mortimer, Rob Murray, Robert Olsen, Joshua

Robinson, Christopher Roth, Andrew Walsh, Colin Wilson, and Spencer Zeigler.

## FRESHMEN

**PRESIDENT'S HONOR ROLL:** (4.0 Average): Michael Cure, Robert Goggins, Heath Hansell, and Austin Ladner.

**ALPHA HONOR ROLL:** Micah Baxter, Brad Bissonnette, Kody Cannon, Christopher Currie, Patrick Donohoe, Sam Hall, Troy Johnston, Lee Klein, Jeremey Nelson, Michael Roy, Bruce Rushing, Stephan Sofianos, Brennen Thomas, and Ernesto Zarate Diaz Infante.

**BETA HONOR ROLL:** Stefan Bittlingmayer, Isaac Blach, Jackson Boone, Austin Boudreaux, Eric Cranford, Clint Crawford, Floyd Dedaux, Joseph Fowler, Edward Gamard, William Glass, Barrett Hall, Sam Hudgens, John Lumpkin, Brian Parker, Kenny Schmitt, Ramsey Shawa, Wynne Taylor, James Wahl, Christian Walter, Corey Warburton, Robert Watson, Brandon Watts, and Jeffrey Yeager.

## 8TH GRADE

**PRESIDENT'S HONOR ROLL:** (4.0 Average): Garrett Gros, Cole Larsen, Daniel Mortimer, and Brad Reinhart.

**ALPHA HONOR ROLL:** William Currie, Kevin Duvielh, Austin Gaffney, Drew Giveans, Miles Hester, Ross Hotard, Stephen Keel, Ross

Landgrave, Michael Neeb, Matt Pierce, Matthew Planchard, Christopher Rogers, Ryan Stechmann, Clay Tate, Christopher Tran, and Brian Whitman.

**BETA HONOR ROLL:** Jackson Benvenuti, Andrew Chevis, Zach Elkins, James Finch, Kyle Hughes, James Langdon, Jeremy Mire, Jorge Peart Zapata, Ben Rader, Mauricio Sanchez Santos, Josh Stevens, James Surgi, Sylvester Twiggs, Tommy Wallace, and Mason Watson.

**7TH GRADE**

**PRESIDENT'S HONOR**

# Waveland's Terrific Kids



Waveland Elementary School's December Terrific Kids include, back row, Mikey Tingstrom, Nicky Duvielh, Nicholas Vitrano, Robin Weathersby, Rory Island, Chea Levy, Sarah Holcomb, Keith Reed, Brice Thomas, Forrest Krementz and Skyler Helmen; front row, Dzeneta Dujkovic, Wes Seymour, Brooke Reis, Tyler Prendergast, Kendall Island, Terry Earl Tartavouille, Jacob Moss, Anthony Depro and Paige Jordy; in front, Clarence Kennedy.

**ROLL:** (4.0 Average): Kelly Bougeois, Ryan Boudreau, Sean Bradford, Joshua Crowe, Jimmy Headley, Ryan Heath, Michael Morell, Bryce Morreale, Clark Seal, Andrew Taylor, and Matthew Vollenweider.

**ALPHA HONOR ROLL:** Keith Bartholomew, Sean Bentz, Alex Boudreaux, Dayne Coscia, Enrique Diaz Infante, David Grapisa, Joel Gregory, Joseph Hadden, Brian Jackson, Hayden Kren, Roger Laoste, Brad Lingsch, Henry Polborn, Andre Roman, Brian Simon, and Matthew

Theologos.

**BETA HONOR ROLL:** Austin Anderson, Granston Boxx, Brit Breland, Luis Camacho Sanchez Septien, Braulio Cardenas Abedrop, Woody Collins, Joseph Cure, Micah Elkins, Taylor Feigel, Brian Fournier, Kythe Hall, Ryan Hoda, Caleb McQueen, Tony Myers, Sam Perry, Christian Rittman, Chris Rushing, Chaz Singleton, and Grant West.

**6TH GRADE**

**PRESIDENT'S HONOR**

**ROLL:** (4.0 Average): Harrison Hodges.

**BETA HONOR ROLL:** Erling Rabe.

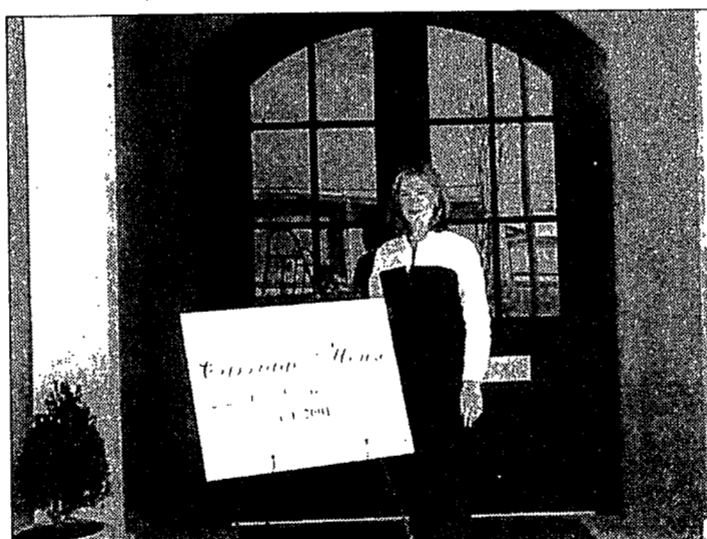
# BUSINESS review

**Curves**  
for women  
30 Minute Fitness & Weight Loss Centers

**Give Your Valentine The Gift Of Health**  
**2 Month Gift Certificate \$99**

Stop by or Call Today!  
463-1130  
604 Blue Meadow Rd.  
Bay St. Louis

Quick • Cardio & Strength Training in just 30 minutes!  
Fast • Fun • Fitness  
Friendly • caring environment



Pam Lott, owner, of Carriage House Fine Clothing.

## Carriage House Fine Clothing

For years while living on the coast I was in search of the perfect ladies clothing store. While the Gulf Coast offers many fine establishments, there was always something that was missing in my shopping experience.

The mall or the department store atmosphere, although offering convenience and reasonable pricing, lacked uniqueness and personal service. Although there are "unique boutiques" here on the coast, I dreamed of lines that had not been introduced to this area. So therefore my dream was born a reality and Carriage House Fine Clothing, was born.

Carriage House Fine Clothing opened on September 21, 2001, and I was determined to make it an alternative for the entire Gulf Coast Community as well as South Mississippi. Carriage House is located near I-10/Hwy 49 in Gulfport, Mississippi, offering convenience for the Gulf Coast. Carriage House is the type of boutique that makes all feel at-home and offers clothing that is unique yet affordable, with personal service.

Carriage House offers clothing for the young or the young at-heart. We offer clothing for every occasion whether you are preparing for a formal event or a fun party. From school to business, from Sunday afternoon to Saturday evening, we have something for you.

Besides spectacular clothing we have beautiful and affordable jewelry, hand bags and footwear. So, if you are looking for a warm welcome, kind attitude, and an elegant setting Carriage House is the place to shop!

**BEST PAWN**  
Jewelry bestpawn.com

**Gigantic Inventory Reduction Sale**

Tools • Electronics  
Jewelry • Cameras  
Bicycles • And Much More!

1248 Hwy. 90 • Bay St. Louis  
(Next to Post Office) • 467-7777

What the Coast Has Been Waiting For...

**Carriage House**  
Fine Clothing

1248 Hwy. 90 • Bay St. Louis  
467-7777

Clothing • Shoes • Accessories • Sleepwear  
Size 0-18  
Gift Certificate Available

**The Sea Coast Echo**  
Hancock County's  
Local Newspaper for over  
**108 Years**

124 Court Street  
Bay St. Louis  
**467-5474**

Buying or Selling a Home?  
**CALL**  
**O'Dwyer REALTY**

- 25 yrs. experience in residential & commercial sales.
- Proven successful marketing plan.
- Positive results!
- Licensed in MS & LA.

Call Today for a complimentary consultation  
Aura O'Dwyer Or Micheal O'Dwyer  
**466-0012**  
120 N. Beach Blvd.  
Bay St. Louis

**ADVERTISING PAYS**  
**ADVERTISING PAYS**  
**ADVERTISING PAYS**

**Call 467-5474**  
**TO GET RESULTS NOW!**

# The Sea Coast Echo

## CLASSIFIEDS

(228)467-5473 FAX (228)467-0333



WE ACCEPT  
VISA  
MASTERCARD



### CLASSIFIED ADS DIRECTORY

#### The Sea Coast Echo

To Place Your Ad Call:

228-467-5473

Fax Number: 228-467-0333

Monday through Friday 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

#### CLASSIFIED RATE SCHEDULE

- 1 insertion, minimum 15 words
- 20¢ per word, minimum \$4.00
- 4 insertions, minimum 20 words
- 14¢ per word, minimum \$13.20
- Combination classified rate (Wed. EXTRA) additional \$2.00

VISA/MASTERCARD ACCEPTED

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

- 24 Auctions
- 25 Flea Markets
- 30 Lost & Found
- 34 Personals
- 36 Special Notices

#### BUSINESS & SERVICES

- 46 Home Improvement
- 53 Schools & Instruction
- 56 Services Offered
- 58 Lawn & Garden

#### EMPLOYMENT

- 63 Business Opportunities
- 66 Child Care
- 70 Employment
- 73 Help Wanted
- 76 Situation/Job Wanted

#### MERCHANDISE

- 81 Appliances
- 82 Antiques, Collectibles
- 83 Items For Sale
- 84 Furniture
- 85 Building Materials
- 86 Business Equipment
- 88 Tools, Machinery
- 90 Pets
- 91 Live Stock
- 93 Yard Sales
- 96 Wanted To Buy

#### CLASSIFIED COPY DEADLINE

INSERTION DAY	DEADLINE
Sunday	Friday NOON
Thursday	Tuesday 4 p.m.
Wednesday EXTRA	Monday 5 p.m.

It is unlawful to directly or indirectly advertise or in any other manner indicate or publicize that the patronage or employment of persons of any particular race, creed, color, sex, national origin, religion, marital status, or disability are unwelcome, objectionable, not acceptable or not solicited. We will not knowingly accept any employment advertisement which is in violation of the law.

#### 56 Services Offered

AAA TRASH HAULING AND GRASS cutting. 467-1577 or 467-4266, anytime.

ABC HOME SERVICES: Plumbing, electrical, flooring, fencing, carpentry, roofs & decks, sheet rock. And 70 more. Mac 463-2320.

ADDITIONS REMODELING REPAIRS. 30 Years experience. 463-9451.

#### Dumptruck & Tractor Service

All types dirt, grading, leveling, limestone driveways built and repaired. 466-5657 • Cell 760-5657

ALBERT'S GRASS CUTTING. TREE trimming and removal, trash hauling, weed eating & edging. 467-0049.

ALWAYS HAULING DIRT: Topsoil, fill-dirt, sand, limestone, gravel, lot clearing. Call GHS, 324-6214

B & B DUMP TRUCK & TRAC SERVICE Gravel, fill dirt, top soil. Lots cleared, dozer work. 466-4320.

B & C LAND SERVICES. Dirt hauling, dozer, tractor, excavator work. Business 228-467-0426. Fax 228-467-9968 Cell 228-806-4499. Cell 228-493-7866.

BRAD'S DUMP TRUCK SERVICE. Fill dirt, sand, gravel, top soil & limestone. 467-6763.

BULKHEAD WORK, SITE WORK. DIRT hauling, and demolition. Call 255-4291 or pager 880-4711.

BULKHEAD'S, BOAT DOCK'S, BOAT launches, 30 years experience. 463-9451, Joe Bourgeois.

CAREGIVER AVAILABLE for private sitting. 467-3594.

COOK'S PAINTING AND HOME REPAIR. 40 years experience, free estimates. Worker: husband and wife. 466-5733.

CUSTOM CONSTRUCTION: House Framing. Call Dave @ 586-1108 or Jim @ 255-2597 or 493-2138.

DALE'S DIRT SERVICE: TRACTOR work, top-soil, yard sand, clay gravel, fill dirt, limestone, gravel. Cell 228-697-0727 or 228-255-2656.

GUITAR LESSONS!!! BEGINNER or advanced. All ages. 463-1526.

HOME REPAIRS. WE DO IT ALL! No job to small. Plumbing, electrical, carpentry, painting. Free estimates. Licensed & Bonded. 467-3130.

HOUSECLEANING: REASONABLE rates, references available. Pass Christian, Bay St. Louis, Diamondhead, Waveland area. Call Jaxene 466-0229.

MASSAGE THERAPY PROFESSIONAL, for stress/pain, Fibromyalgia pregnancy. Workmans compensation. Nationally certified. Home visits. 121 Court St. Andorra 467-8252 or 342-0265. Since 1985.

MOVING MADE EASY! LOCAL. One way/or out of state. Call me and let's make a deal. Brian, 255-9274.

NEED A DECK, OR HOUSE PAINTING. Call Woody. 255-7887.

PET SITTER. FEEDING, walking, TLC, trips to vet while you're away. Limited boarding. 463-1982.

PREMIUM POWER WASH: PRESURE washing, commercial, residential homes, concrete drive thru's. Free estimates. 255-5704, cell 216-1298.

#### 56 Services Offered

PROFESSIONALLY TYPED DOCUMENTS. Resume' packages, inc. cover letter. Papers for school. For info, call Dawn, home 255-2676, cell 493-3519 e-mail: ddb1130@aol.com

STARLITE PRODUCTIONS. Mobile D. J. Music for any occasion, 15 yrs experience. 466-3385.

STEVE'S MARINE SERVICE: MOTOR & trailer repair 3204 Rocky Hill-Dedaux Road, Kiln. 255-2676

STUMP GRINDING: \$4.00 AND UP Free estimates. 255-8734. Picayune 601-798-7477.

WASH GRAVEL \$14.50/PER YARD: pea gravel \$10.50/per yard; limestone \$23.50/per yard; fill dirt \$4.25/per yard; topsoil \$10.00/per yard; fill sand \$5.00/per yard, etc. 493-3358 and 255-1106.

www.familytherapeuticmassage.com JENNIFER HUGHES, over 13 years experience in deep tissue. Available Sun, Mon, Tues, in Pass Christian. 216-0500.

#### 58 Lawn & Garden

A CALL TO CHARLIE'S LAWN & YARD service: for free estimates. Grass cutting, weed eating, trash hauling, etc. Call anytime. (228) 467-1577 or (228) 467-4266.

OAK FIREWOOD. SPLIT ALL SIZES. Free delivery. 216-8685.

RELIABLE LAWN SERVICE: Yards cut, trimmed. References and free estimates. Call 467-2304.

#### 63 Business Opportunities

AMERICA'S LEADER OF ANIMAL NUTRITION, seeking qualified dealer in Waveland, Ms. market. Horse pet, generalized stock and specialty feeds. 601-310-0844.

LOOKING TO OPEN A Mortgage/Finance Company in Hancock County. Need partnership-must have thorough knowledge of all aspects of the lending business. Please fax resume to 228-467-9177.

#### 73 Help Wanted

1,500 A MONTH PT. \$4,500-\$7,200 FT. Work in home. International Company needs Supervisors & Assistants. Training. Free booklet: 800-283-6990/wealthnfreedom.com

LPN/MA FOR BAY ST. LOUIS AREA. Competitive salary and excellent benefits. Send resume to: Coastal Family Health Center, P.O. Box 475, Biloxi, MS, 39533 or fax to (228) 374-2713. EOE.

#### 73 Help Wanted

Here is YOUR Golden Opportunity!!

2 Wk. CDL Training

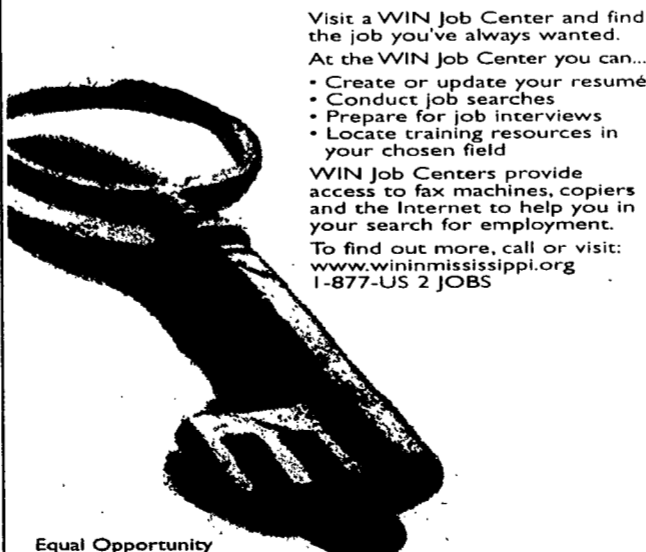
Job Placement

Tuition Reimbursement

Call 1-800-958-2353

MS Prop. Lic# C-101

## BRINGING PEOPLE AND JOBS TOGETHER



Equal Opportunity Employer / Program Auxiliary aids and services are available upon request to individuals with disabilities: TDD/TTY 1-601-576-2527

Funded by: U.S. Department of Labor/Mississippi Development Authority

Mississippi is a proud member of America's Workforce Network.

WIN Job Center  
Bringing People and Jobs Together

#### 73 Help Wanted

HOME HEALTH RN NURSING SUPERVISOR & RN CASE MANAGER (Biloxi)

Quality HOME HEALTH CARE of the GULF COAST, Inc. is currently accepting applications for an experienced Home Health Nursing Supervisor and Case Manager for our Biloxi office. Ideal candidate will possess experience in PPS.

We offer outstanding benefits:

- Paid Days off per year
- Mon-Fri work week
- Health, Dental & Life Insurance
- Pension Plan

For additional information, please fax resume to (228) 432-0522: attn: Director of Human Resources. www.qhhc.com

#### ON-CALL NURSE "Full Time"

Take Call from 4:30 PM Monday until Saturday until 8:00 AM and be compensated for 40 hours!! QUALITY HOME HEALTH CARE of the GULF COAST, Inc. is currently accepting applications for full time experienced home health RN's to join the on-call staff in the Bay St. Louis/Picayune offices.

(www.qhhc.com)  
Ph 228-374-2273  
Fax 228-432-0522 or apply at corporate office (1001 Howard Ave) Attn David-Morrow

SUBSTITUTE TEACHER NEEDED. Call Laura, 467-4297. Methodist Children Center.

#### 73 Help Wanted

#### RN HOME HEALTH

- NO WEEKDAY CALL
- M - F Work Schedule
- Full time - Salary
- Part time - Per Visit
- Admits/PostHosp/Records count as two
- Picayune, Bay St Louis, Biloxi, Orange Grove, Lucedale & Pascagoula Openings
- Health Ins/Pension Plan/Paid Days Off/6 Holidays

Are you a Home Health Field RN rotating weekday call? Come join our family at QUALITY HOME HEALTH CARE of the GULF COAST, Inc. You will not be on-call during weekday! We have immediate openings for Field RN's to join our team in either Picayune, BSL, Biloxi, Orange Grove, Lucedale or Pascagoula offices..

For additional information, apply within individual offices or fax resume to (228) 432-0522 attn David Morrow. (www.qhhc.com)

CUSTOMER SERVICE REPRESENTATIVE, needed for local business Full-time position includes customer service and computer duties. Attention to detail, good people skills, insurance background and organizational skills a plus. Employer provides medical life disability 401K pension benefits. Send resume to CSR, P.O. Box 10, Bay St. Louis MS 39520.

**Call today!**  
to get information on how to place your classified ad in  
**The Sea Coast Echo Newspaper**  
**467-5474**

#### 24 Auctions

ANTIQUE AUCTION: English Container Sunday, Feb. 10th, 2002, 2:00 p.m. 220 Coleman Avenue, Waveland. (228)467-5528. Beautiful Chippendale Curio, several drop leaf front desks, side-by-side desk, drop-leaf tables, Walnut hutch, hall trees, vanities, bookcase with glass doors, Victorian dresser, old mirrors, chairs, tables, Pine hutch, armoires, sideboards, old trunks, small curio, wicker farm tables, writing desk, tressel table, Mahogany twin bed, Barley twist chairs, school desk with chairs, fern stand, high chair, child's vanity, end tables, night stands, child's armoire, child's chair, tobacco stand, what-not stand, pub table, sewing stand, tea carts, child's podium, several sideboards, Duncan Phyfe table, bench, painted furniture, marble top consoles, shaving mirror, washstand, magazine rack, old baby bed, nesting tables, much more! Auctioneer: Jennings Gilmore MS#452 LA#1406

#### 30 Lost and Found

BROWN MALE CAT. FOUND IN 300 Block, Main St. Please call 467-2550 to claim

FOUND HUNTING DOG. WHITE with black & tan spots, and orange collar. I-10 & 603. 463-0690.

#### 36 Special Notices

SMGA GUN SHOW MARCH 2ND AND 3RD. Orange Grove Community Center Gulfport. 868-8858.

#### 46 Home Improvement

ROOFING & SIDING. HOUSE LEVELING. Concrete work Satisfaction guaranteed. 40 years experience. 467-2306.

#### 46 Home Improvement

ADDITIONS, REMODELING. Nichols Construction. All Home repairs, pressure washing, exterior/interior, painting, concrete work, driveways, etc. Sheet rock finishing, blown ceilings. Resident. 35 years experience. State licensed, bonded. Free estimates. 467-3130.

FOREMAN PROFESSIONAL Roofing: Now servicing all your roofing needs! Free estimates within 24 hours. Licensed, bonded, insured. 463-9912.

GENERAL CONTRACTOR, ROOFING, carpentry, vinyl siding, additions, painting. Free estimates, licensed, bonded. Masin Hill 466-4877.

GIPSON'S HOME IMPROVEMENTS: 42 yr. resident, 25 yrs experience, licensed, bonded, insured. Repairs, remodeling, additions, vinyl siding, cement work, bath rooms & kitchen. Free estimates, references. All work guaranteed, 255-8367.

JASPER FAUCETTA HOME IMPROVEMENTS: Established 1972. Residential, commercial, new homes, additions, remodeling, vinyl siding, roofing. All work guaranteed. State licensed, insured, bonded, references. Free estimates. 467-5845.

SONNY CUEVAS CONSTRUCTION: ADDITIONS new construction, remodeling, roofing, painting, etc. Licensed and bonded, references. 30 years experience, free estimates. 466-9118.

#### 53 Schools & Instruction

MODELS & TALENT CHECK www.modelingby.com/ColorCampus TalentAgency or call 228-388-2465.

#### 56 Services Offered

AA VINCENT'S DUMP TRUCK SERVICE. Fill dirt, sand, top soil, gravel. Dirt spread. 467-9273, cell 493-0273.

## HENLEY TIMBER COMPANY

We would like to buy your logs, poles, pulpwood and hardwood timber.  
Small tracts or large tracts  
**255-3082**

**SAND & GRAVEL ♦ CLAY GRAVEL**  
**FILL DIRT ♦ TOP SOIL ♦ LIMESTONE**  
Also Land Clearing, Bulldozer and Trackhoe Work  
**255-3082**

## STOP SEARCHING!

Find it here, in the...

# Service Directory

- Home
- Legal
- Business
- Domestic Services

To place your ad call  
**467-5473**

**SOLAR CONTROL OF MS**  
WINDOW TINTING REDUCES:  
• HEAT  
• GLARE  
• FADING  
• EYE STRAIN  
OVER 25 YEARS ON THE GULF COAST  
875-1956 • 1-800-887-7918

**Bell Electric**  
Licensed • Bonded • Insured  
Commercial • Residential • Industrial  
24 Hour Emergency Service  
228-467-1427 • Michael Bell  
Master Electrician

**LA DESIGN & BUILD**  
PLANS DRAWN, CUSTOM HOMES, ADDITIONS, REMODELING, BULKHEADS, PIERS, BACKHOE WORK, TRACTOR WORK, FILL DIRT  
LICENSED & BONDED  
H. 228-255-9077

**JAMES TRUCKING SERVICE**  
Yard Sand • Fill Sand • Clay  
Top Soil • Gravel • Limestone  
Serving the area for over 25 years  
**467-3400**

**PETE'S**  
Lots cleared, fill dirt, top soil, track hoe & dozer work.  
**255-9727**

**KELVIN'S**  
AIR CONDITIONING & REFRIGERATION  
COMMERCIAL & RESIDENTIAL  
All Makes & Models • Since 1973  
(228) 467-6501 • cell 209-4517  
KEVIN SCHULZ 600 S. Beach Blvd. Bay St. Louis, MS 39520

## 73 Help Wanted



Dunbar Village  
Nursing Home is now  
accepting applications for

CNA's  
All Shifts

Dunbar Village offers  
an excellent working  
environment. Exceptional  
salaries and benefits

APPLY AT:  
**Dunbar Village**  
725 Dunbar Ave.  
Bay St. Louis, MS 39520  
(228) 466-3099  
EOE

SMH  
Career Opportunities

## PHARMACIST

Slidell Memorial Hospital is currently seeking qualified individuals for full time positions available in our hospital pharmacy. This position is for a not-for-profit community hospital of 182 beds and growing. The ideal candidate will be a graduate of ACPPE accredited College of Pharmacy and have current La. License. One year of hospital pharmacy experience preferred.

Slidell Memorial Hospital offers a competitive salary and benefits package that includes health/dental insurance, life/disability insurance, pension plan and an array of other benefit options. For more detailed information call our SMH Job Line. Applications/resumes may be submitted via mail/fax to:

SLIDELL MEMORIAL HOSPITAL  
HUMAN RESOURCE RECRUITER,  
BOX 3 1001 GAUSE BLVD., SLIDELL,  
LA 70458 (985) 649-8790 or (800) 259-  
2200 ext. 8780  
E-Mail: [Jacksonp@smhplus.org](mailto:Jacksonp@smhplus.org)  
FAX (985) 649-8744  
An Equal Opportunity Employer  
Job Line (985) 649-8756  
[www.smhplus.org](http://www.smhplus.org)

DYNAMIC BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY. Good income. Hot markets. No door-to-door sales. Free no obligation information. 1-888-213-2402 or [www.BountyOfDreams.com](http://www.BountyOfDreams.com)

HERE IS THE KEY TO THE FUTURE!! 2 WK CDL training. Tuition Reimbursement. Placement Assistance. Unlock Your SUCCESS!!! 1-888-941-1750. MS. Prop Lic C-101

HIGHLY MOTIVATED INDIVIDUAL for rewarding career in financial services. Call (228)452-7025 or (601)765-5889

MORTGAGE OFFICE SECRETARY. BSL Mortgage Company seeking individual to answer phones, take loan applications over phone, photo copy client documents for loan submission, etc. Hours 9:00-5:00. Monday through Friday. Salary \$7.50 Hr. Fax Resume to 463-0790

## 81 Appliances

PAUL'S APPLIANCE REPAIR SERVICE: Only \$19.50 for service calls in Bay/Waveland area. We buy, sell or trade all appliances 90 day warranty on all sales and service. 493-0822

REBUILT WASHERS AND DRYERS. Fully guaranteed. We have parts and do repair. We also buy used appliances Bay Washers. 467-6122.

SALES ON NEW & USED APPLIANCES AND PARTS. Home repair service on washers, dryers, refrigerators, freezers. Good warranty. Dollar Rental. 467-9545.

Call 467-5473  
to subscribe to  
*The Sea Coast Echo*  
Newspaper  
for all your local news!

FREE Report Reveals  
10 Best Buys  
in any price range you desire

Sample of computerized printout you  
will receive



Bay St. Louis  
4096 19th St.  
3 Bdr, 2 Bath  
100x150 lot  
936 sq. ft.  
Price: \$126,000

## New FREE Service for Homebuyers

You can receive a FREE computerized printout of the 10 Best Buys in any price range mailed to you at NO Cost or Obligation.

You don't have to talk to anyone. Just call our 24hr voicemail system and leave a message indicating which area you would like to have information on. It's simple - just Call 1-866-811-8533 ID#1041

Not intended to select properties currently listed for sale  
Coast & County Real Estate, Inc.

## 83 Items For Sale

## SURPLUS SALE

Open 7 days a week

8am till 5pm

Computer Monitors

14" \$30.00

15" \$40.00

17" \$75.00

Ammunition Boxes

Small, Medium, Large

4 Drawer File Cabinets

Much More...

Call us today for more

info: 255-0930

CAMPER SHELL FOR FORD Ranger Pickup. \$40. 12X52 Trailer w/16X20 room. \$4,200. 209-3039

GE-GAS STOVE 2/YRS. OLD LIKE new \$125 Hotpoint Refrigerator \$100 Whirlpool Washer Extra Lg Tub 3 yr old \$125. Kelvinator dryer Elect \$125 3 yr old Whirlpool AC/28000 BTU. 2 yr old. \$200 Whirlpool 1/room AC \$100. 466-3474

GENERATOR FOR SALE 4200 Watts. 110 or 220. Used only 2 times. \$500. 466-4877

## 84 Furniture

DEDEUX FURNITURE. 4 bar stools & 4 arm chairs. Call 255-3268, leave message

FURNITURE & APPLIANCES FOR SALE or rent to own. Dollar Rental 467-9545.

RCA CONSOLE TV. ANTIQUE dresser, full bed and chest and misc. Feb. 13th, 14th & 15th. 463-1894.

## 85 Building Materials

METAL ROOFING/SIDING - 6 COLORS galv. to 24ft. length. 38" wide-28 ga. galv., 99c ft. Colors. \$1.19 ft. V-crimp & corrug. 64c ft. Ridge cap, rake & corner, purlins \$1.00 ft. Roofing/Siding from \$14.90 sq. Warehouse Sales, Slidell, La Exit 263 I-10. (800)842-6646.

## 90 Pets

BROWN MALE CAT. FOUND IN 300 Block Main St Call 467-2550 to claim.

LABS, AKC, CHOCOLATE AND BLACK. 1st shots and wormed. Parent on premises. \$200 Call 255-0855.

## 91 Live Stock

2 YR OLD PAINT WELSH GELDING 8 yr. old Welsh Mare. \$1000/obo 228-466-2654.

## 93 Yard Sale

DON'T THROW IT AWAY! Let us haul it away Dardar's free yard sale pickup service. 601-798-7477 or 228-255-8734.

MONDAY FEB. 11TH ONLY. 10 AM-8p.m. Bedroom furniture, mens clothes, kitchen items, odds & ends. 234 Middle St. Go to Central & Vacation Lane and follow signs.

SAT. 16/SUN. 17TH 10749 LILINOE Way. Diamondhead. Dressers/kitchen/appliances/Stereo/books/clothes kids stuff Moving! Too much to mention.

## 96 Wanted To Buy

ANTIQUES. COLLECTIBLES. TOOLS. dolls. furniture. One piece or house full. Call 467-2628 days.

WE BUY OLD WATCHES, WRIST, & pocket. rings, gold, estate pieces. \$\$\$CashSS Bayou Jewelers. 466-0425.

## 126 Campers/Motor Homes

1983 POP UP CAMPER. A/C NEW Cables. Sleeps 6. Asking \$975. 463-0691.

## 130 Motorcycles

HONDA 1-10 (3) WHEELER. RUNS good. \$400 00 466-4410

## 136 Automobiles

1986 BUICK SKYLARK. needs motor. 1989 Dodge Ram 50. body in fair condition. 466-6513

1989 LINCOLN TOWNCAR. Excellent condition, 55,000 miles. \$3,500 firm. 228-533-9217. Utility trailer, small, \$100 Large black camper top, \$150.

1990 MERCURY GRAND MARQUIS. LS. Excellent condition in & out, low miles. Asking \$3450 467-9945

2000 KIA SPORTAGE, EXTRA LIMITED 15,000 Miles. A/C/T/C/L/ Leather. 4x4 shift on fly. No off road use. Private owner. 100,000 miles 10 year manufactured warranty Like new \$12,500. call 467-5754 Home, 463-0085 work, 332-8010 cell phone.

91 GRAND AM LIMITED EDITION Rebuild motor, excellent condition, 4 new tires, cold air, heater needs repair AM-FM stereo, & cassette \$2500 332-4394 before 5:00pm 466-4394 after 5:00pm.

93 PLYMOUTH DUSTER. Excellent condition. New tires. \$2700. Call 467-0094 after 4:00p.m. or leave message.

94 DODGE DIESEL P/U LOADED. \$5995. 93 FORD F-350 DUALY CREW Cab \$5995. Credit No Problem. 30 Trucks under \$5995. Jimmy Stockstill Motors 1-800-798-9133.

95 DODGE CARAVAN, V6, CLEAN \$5495 OR \$159 A MO. Credit no Problem. 30 trucks and vans under \$5995. Jimmy Stockstill Motors 1-800-798-9133.

97 SATURN. SHARP. \$149 A MO. Weak Credit Okay. 50 Cars under \$4995. Jimmy Stockstill Motors 1-800-798-9133.

## NOTICE OF ABANDONED VEHICLES

The following vehicles will be sold 30 days after the first publication:

1993 MAZDA MX-3  
VIN# JM1EC4325P0219869

1984 BUICK REGAL  
VIN# IG4AJ69A7EH517705

1986 CHEVY CAMARO  
VIN# IG1FP8754GL154353

Moss Towing  
4087 Thirteenth St.  
Bay St. Louis, MS 39520  
228-467-5227

1/27 - 2/3 - 2/10/02

## CREDIT NO PROBLEM. 96 FORD

F-150. SWB. Eddie Bauer, P/U \$60 A week. 50 Cars under \$4995. Jimmy Stockstill Motors 1-800-798-9133.

## 138 Trucks, Vans

1993 S-10 V6 5 SPEED TRUCK box, new rims. \$3,000. 467-3719.

2001 GMC SIERRA. EXT. CAB. 4 door. Z-71. Gray w/gray interior. Manufacturer warranty. 24,000 miles. like new. \$27,000. Please call 228-326-3182.

## This spot could be YOURS!

Call us today at  
**467-5474**  
to get more information on how  
you could advertise your  
business with us.

NEW ON MARKET! Pristine 3BR, 2 1/2 Bath waterfront home. Gourmet kitchen, double fireplace, wet bar. Bedrooms open to porch, decks. Must see this dream House! (127153)

JUST LISTED AND PRICED TO SELL! 3BR, 2B brick home in one of the Bay's finest neighborhoods. Formal living and dining rooms. Open plan kitchen and den. (127110)

ALMOST ONE AND HALF LANDSCAPED ACRES fronting on 2 streets in the heart of Waveland. 3BR, 2B home in excellent condition. Big den and party kitchen addition. (125824)

FOURPLEX AND MORE. Investment property with positive cash flow. 2 houses and a fourplex centrally located near US 90 and downtown Bay St. Louis. (124320)

DOUBLE WATERFRONT LOT and adorable 2 BR home. Spacious living area, screened porch, dock, deck and bulkhead. Priced to sell Yesterday! (126025)

OLD FISHING CAMP ON 3 SECLUDED ACRES with 221 feet on Bayou Talla. Short boat ride to Jourdan River. Call today for directions to property. (123302)

CUTE RUSTIC MODIFIED "A"-FRAME on very large fenced lot overlooking Jackson Pond. Three bedrooms & 2 full baths with large deck overlooking wildlife filled pond- Live in a country- like setting with no neighbors. (127087)

WONDERFUL 3BR/2.5BA ACADIAN HOME with scored flooring, fireplace, front & back porches, double garage & much more. Call today for private inspection. (124511)

BEAUTIFUL BEACH FRONT LOT IN UPSCALE development near Bay Old Town shops, unobstructed view of pristine bay, (126808)

PHONE COLDWELL BANKER MORTGAGE FOR YOUR  
FREE MORTGAGE PRE-APPROVAL  
SAME DAY LOAN DECISION GUARANTEED  
1-800-325-4126

**COLDWELL BANKER** ALFONSO REALTY, INC.  
sale • property management • appraisal

Waveland 467-0244 Pass Christian 452-7444  
TOLL FREE 1-800-465-0244

## 143 Real Estate Services

"All real estate advertised herein is subject to the Federal Fair Housing Act, which makes it illegal to advertise any preference, limitation, or discrimination based on race, color, religion, sex, handicap, familial status, or national origin, or intention to make any such preference, limitation, or discrimination. We will not knowingly accept any advertising for real estate which is in violation of the law. All persons are hereby informed that all dwellings advertised are available on an equal opportunity basis."

## 145 Roommates Wanted

ROOMMATE WANTED. Pool/boat dock, near Magic. \$345. 467-5628.

## 147 Apartments For Rent

1 & 2 BEDROOM. ALL ELECTRIC. CENTRAL heat/air, carpet, stove, refrigerator, water included Starting at \$325/month, plus deposit. Lease required. 463-0043, 467-3935

1 BEDROOM COMPLETELY FURNISHED, utilities and cable. 467-8245

1 BEDROOM FURNISHED APT CENTRAL A/H. Ask for A.J. 467-8401.

2/BR 1-1/2BA DUPLEX, utility room, \$500/month, 1 year lease, 1700 McLaurin, Waveland, MS. 467-3601.

2BR TOWNHOUSE 1200 SQ. FT. Uptown, near beach. \$600 month 467-4594.

2BR. APARTMENT FOR RENT. near Casino. \$435/month. \$435/security deposit. 467-9278.

*The Waverly Apartments*  
NOW LEASING  
Brand New!! 1, 2 & 3 BR's  
(228) 463-2635

CAMPER FOR RENT. FOR ONE Person. \$150/month. All utilities paid. 463-0108.

EFFICIENCY APARTMENT FOR RENT. All utilities paid. \$350 monthly. Call 466-0693 or 493-2475.

FURNISHED 2BR/1BA, BEACH VIEW, with upper deck. \$475/month + utilities. 466-0509.

GREAT MOVE IN SPECIAL!! SIGNATURE Lake Apartments. 1s from \$405.. 2s from \$425.. 3s from \$535 Call 452-9901.

LARGE NICE 1 BEDROOM COTTAGE near Casino Magic. Boat dock, pool. \$575.00 month. 467-5628.

OAK PARK APARTMENTS: 2 BR. \$450 month. Five minutes to beach. Casinos and shopping centers. 467-6882.

OAK VILLA APTS. IN PASS CHRISTIAN. 2BR/1-1/2BA. \$485/month. 3BR/2BA. \$555/Month. Includes water, sewage, pest control and cable Call 452-7005.

SMALL STUDIO APARTMENT, near Magic. \$425, utilities included. Available Feb. 1st. 467-5628.

WOW!! \$500 MONTHLY. Includes all utilities, furnished studio, no deposit/short lease, 2 locations. OS. 875-0123/Bay St. Louis: 466-5251. New residents receive two free nights in Orlando with Sea World Tickets.

## 148 Mobile Homes For Rent

1 BR BATH WATERFRONT. QUIET Location Pet & smoke free. \$275 month \$250 deposit.

## 148 Mobile Homes For Rent

2BR TRAILER FOR RENT KILN AREA 255-5529

2BR/1BA TRAILER FOR RENT in the Kiln. Pet-free environment 255-9397.

3BR/2BA. NEW STOVE. REFRIGERATOR, fenced yard, new carpet, storage shed Very nice 228-467-4992.

TRAILER FOR RENT 2BR/1BA \$335 mo. \$200 Dep 228-469-0743.

## 149 Mobile Homes For Sale

12 X 50 \$6000 00 OBO 463-1761 after 5 p.m.

12 X 60 \$5000 00 OBO 463-1761 after 5 p.m.

## 150 Unfurn. Houses Rent

1 BEDROOM. Stove/Ref W/D Hook Up Central heat air, pet free 467-9777

1, 2 AND 3 BEDROOM HOMES From \$385 to \$800 mo pet free Key Properties. 467-0600.

2 BEDROOM. UNFURNISHED HOME IN BSL 1/2 block from beach. Screened porch, central a/h, w/d hookups, kitchen appliances \$650/mo +1mo deposit Call 467-4138

256 CLARA ST. OWNER MOTIVATED To sell and will pay \$1000 toward Buyer Closing Cost. Call Jen Baum Century 21 Diamondhead 255-3550 or 255-6500 548.500.

2BR. HOUSE IN BSL \$525/month \$525/security deposit. 467-9278

2BR. HOUSE IN PASS CHRISTIAN \$610/month \$610/security deposit 467-9278.

2BR/1BA. LARGE HOME. Central a/h Water & sewage included Lg yard. 5201 Boudages St. Clermont Harbor. \$800/month 467-6088. or (504)833-7027.

2BR/1BA. LIVING ROOM. KITCHEN, den/office. Block from beach and depot. \$575/month. \$575/deposit. 467-4468.

3BR/2BA ON BAYOU. Central air/heat, boat ramp. \$650/month. \$650/deposit. 467-4683 or 440-239-9458.

3BR/2BA. BRICK. CENTRAL A/H. carpet, ceiling fans, nice, pet free \$750/month. \$500/damage deposit Call for appointment 228-467-6094.

414 BOOKTER. 2BR/1BA. Living, dining, kitchen, w/d hookups. Sun porch, deck, fenced yard. Outside storage. Central heat/air, all electric. kitchen appliances. \$600 month \$600 dep. 467-8377.

988 KAIMUKI COURT. 3/2, 1250 Sq ft. very good condition \$850.

7932 EWA PLACE. 3/2.5 large home. 2100 sq. ft. new paint & carpet \$950. Call 255-7702.

BRAND NEW. 3BR/2BA. Garden Isle Subdivision. Hardwood and porcelain floors All appliances. Large front porch, central a/h, covered parking for 4 vehicles. 2 lots. Pet free environment. 1 year lease required \$850/month + deposit 1-985-649-0826 or 649-9187.

BRICK HOME. 3BR 2BATHS. Double garage, lovely neighborhood. Fenced in rear yard. \$775 month \$400 deposit. 466-4848, 607 Sunset BSL.

## Henley Dumpsters

We offer Commercial Dumpster  
Call 255-3082 or Fax 255-8005

## LATTER &amp; BLUM

INC./REALTORS  
SINCE 1916

## #1 REAL ESTATE COMPANY IN THE GULF

1(800)215-4111 (228)467-4111  
BAY ST. LOUIS DIAMONDHEAD (228)255-9191  
[WWW.MSGLFREALSTATE.COM](http://WWW.MSGLFREALSTATE.COM)

AREA 02  
WOW! WAVELAND OFF CENTRAL ON GROSVENOR! \$89,900 3bdm/3baths, large fenced rear lot! Most appliances! Double attached garage! 1 story on high ground. Priced right call Harris MLS116601

OWNER SAYS SELL! 2bdm/1 bath home with car. Neat & clean, with fenced yard. Great starter home or rental priced to sell quickly at only \$46,000 call Jackie MLS123481

AREA 03  
OLD TOWN BAY ST. LOUIS - N. SECOND ST. facing seminary grounds, 4 bdrm/2baths, formal interior area! Corner location with privacy! One year home warranty. \$144,000 call Harris MLS119486

OLD WORLD CHARM IN DOWNTOWN BAY ST LOUIS! Remodeled 3 bdrm/2bath home w/hardwood floors, high ceilings, deck and wrap-around porch. Upstairs 1bd/1bth, open floor plan kitchen apartment w/sep entrance. Price \$250,000 call Jackie MI 5126242.

AREA 04  
33 ACRES, BEAUTIFUL WOODS W/CREEK. 12 miles north of I-10/10 miles south of I-12. Convenient to New Orleans, NASA, beaches & casinos. Water available. Ideal for many uses. Call George MI 5124390.

DON'T PASS THIS ONE UP! 5 acres, completely fenced with 2bd/2ba mobile home. Large nearby newly built storage garage. Located off Gustine Rd in Kiln. Selling for \$69,000 call Jackie 332-6364. MI 5126491

FISHER PERSONS ALERT! Oak Harbor Pearlaring! Super 888 sq ft 1 huge room quality constructed! Plus 1152 sq ft deck above double boat slips with hoists! Cement launch. \$85K call Harris MLS123479.

SAILBOAT OWNERS HAVEN! Deep water off Jourdan River! House rebuilt 1995 with huge master suite! 3 bdrm/2baths! RV garage & workshop attached! 70 x 110 lot \$168,000 call Harris MLS123979.

COMMERCIAL LOT ON HIGHWAY 603 next to Dollar Rental 100 x 140. Great site. Only \$85,000 - Call Jackie for details MLS121929

TWO UNIT PROPERTY ON HERON BAY RD. 700+ sq ft per unit 2bd/1 ba. Great investment property. Big lot \$51,999. Call Bernie MLS120102.

## 158 Co

6 LARGE M Reasonable?

8 WATERFI Neighborhoo

603 COMMEI

100. Cleared others availab

COMMERCIA

rent. Kapalar

s

## es Rent

ROOM, 2  
dryer, very  
thly + de-

BR, 2-1/2  
850/month  
McIntyre-

BEDROOM  
300/month

GE, FIRE-  
s, giant live  
Key Proper-

FROM \$750  
of Diamond-

3BR/2 Full  
yard. Dia-

cottage, 1  
ed porch &  
e included

DUIS 2-1/2  
om beach  
& dryer  
463-9215.

## es Rent

W/D DEEP  
view 467-  
SP

FOR Lease  
ed 105 N  
96

COTTAGE  
s deposit

## Wanted

looking for  
with short  
4-466-2670.

## Acreage

SIDE PARK  
for boat of  
33-9710.

KILN/WAVE-  
130.

LAKES S/D,  
5 miles to  
NASA  
Rd. off N.  
in Clermont  
ssings 466-

OR MOBILE  
in community  
/per month  
rest. Magi-  
0-388-3738.

PLUS, and  
starting at  
263-2839.

## Property

ON HWY 90  
5011.

## Property

ster  
8005

111  
255-9191

RE! \$89,900  
e attached  
16601

clean, with  
kly at only

g seminary  
with pri-  
486

Remodeled  
and wrap-  
apartment

or 1-10/10  
ches & cas-  
24390.

th 2bd/2ba  
located off  
115126491

888 sq ft 1  
double bed  
9.

ver! House  
g & work-

rental 100 x  
29

ft per unit  
Call Bernie

## 158 Commercial Property

6 LARGE MOBILE HOME LOTS  
Reasonable, 216-2358.

6 WATERFRONT LOTS GOOD  
Neighborhood, 216-2358.

603 COMMERCIAL CORNER 150 X  
100. Cleared ready to build. Several  
others available 216-2358.

COMMERCIAL OFFICE SPACE For  
rent. Kapalama Plaza. Will build to  
suit. 544 sq.ft. for \$440/month. 255-  
0403.

OFFICE & RETAIL SPACE AVAILA-  
BLE: Choclat Village, Waveland  
Ms. Phone 228-255-4396 or Pager  
228-883-8554.

OFFICE SPACE AVAILABLE for rent  
in Kiln area. \$350 per month. 725  
square feet. Call 255-1133.

OFFICE SPACE AVAILABLE, 900  
SQ. FT., 640 Hwy. 90, Waveland.  
\$575 per month. Call Herb 467-  
0244, Coldwell Banker Alfonso Real-  
ty.

## 159 Houses For Sale

\$59,900, 3BR/1BA, DIAMOND-  
HEAD/Holiday Village. Owner/agent,  
255-0403 or 255-9398.

525 ESPANADE AVE, 3BR/2BA,  
kitchen equipped, dbl. garage,  
fenced yard, great oaks, walk to  
schools, shopping. Move in condi-  
tion. Reduced to \$125,000 offers  
considered. 467-9844.

B.S.L., NEAR HWY 90, 515 Carroll  
Ave. New, 3br/2ba, ceramic tile, car-  
pet. Less than 1 mile from schools.  
\$114,000. Call Rodney Corr, 466-  
5205, 216-8936.

BEACH, 3/2.5, CEDAR PT., W/BAY  
View, Deep Waterfront, 5/4, private  
suite, 2sm. Cottages, cute & afforda-  
ble. www.la-msproperties.com  
J. John Fineran, Broker. 463-1246

DIAMONDHEAD 3BR 2BA, HOUSE  
FOR SALE CERAMIC, tile, deck, priv-  
acy fence, LG.Living room, Almost  
1600 SQ. FT. \$107,000. 228-586-  
1014.

FOR SALE BY OWNER, 3 bedroom,  
405 Ulman St., Waveland. 228-467-  
4482.

I WILL PAY TOP \$ FOR YOUR  
PROPERTY, any condition. Will pay  
all closing cost. Agents protected:  
O/A. (504)908-7653.

OWNER FINANCE AND MORE! Call  
228-467-4479. Or go to  
www.geocities.com Gold\_Coast\_Re-  
alty.

SACRIFICE 3BR/ 2BA, \$10,000.  
DOWN \$572 per month. Plus taxes  
and insurance. Broker Owner. 467-  
7142.

WAVELAND NEAR HWY 90, NEW,  
2br/1ba, ceramic tile, carpet, single  
carport. \$57,600/\$2,000 down.  
\$583/month. Call Rodney Corr, 466-  
5205 or 216-8936.

WOW! 4 BEDROOM, 2 BATH, com-  
pletely remodeled. \$52,900. Owner  
will carry 2nd mortgage.  
Owner/agent. 255-0403.

## 161 Condo Rental/Sale

#215 LAKESIDE-UNFURNISHED  
Studio-Only \$25,000 or best offer.  
Call Jen Bauman Century 21 Diamond-  
head. 255-3550 or 255-6500.

## Public Notices

IN THE CHANCERY COURT  
OF HARRISON COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI  
EARL J. GUILLOTTE, JR. PLAINTIFF  
VS.  
THE HEIRS AT LAW OF  
EARL JOSEPH GUILLOTTE  
AND THE HEIRS AT LAW OF  
MARY E. GUILLOTTE DEFENDANTS

SUMMONS  
CIVIL ACTION NO. 02-00207  
TO THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI:

(1) The Heirs at Law of Earl Joseph Guillotte, de-  
ceased, who are believed to be non-residents of the  
State of Mississippi, and whose names, place of  
residence, post office and street addresses are  
unknown to Plaintiffs after diligent search and in-  
quiry made to ascertain the same.  
(2) The Heirs at Law of Mary E. Guillotte, de-  
ceased, whose names, places of residence, post  
office and street addresses are unknown and re-  
main unknown to Plaintiff, after diligent search  
and inquiry to ascertain the same.  
YOU are summoned to appear and defend  
against said Petition to adjudicate Earl J. Guil-  
lotte, Jr. as the sole and only Heir at Law of Earl  
Joseph Guillotte and Mary E. Guillotte at 9:00  
o'clock AM on the 22nd day of March, 2002, in the  
courtroom of the Hancock County Court-  
house Annex at 306 Highway 90, Bay St. Louis,  
Mississippi, and in the case of your failure to ap-  
pear and defend a judgment will be entered  
against you for the money or other things de-  
manded in the Complaint or Petition.  
YOU are not required to file an answer or other  
pleading but you may do so if you desire.  
ISSUED UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL of said  
COURT, this 4th day of February, 2002.

JOHN MCADAMS  
CHANCERY CLERK OF  
HARRISON COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI  
BY: LINDA R. WILSON  
DEPUTY CLERK  
02/10, 02/17, 02/24/02

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF  
HARRISON COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI  
NICHOLAS G. BEHNEN PLAINTIFF  
VERSUS  
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, SECRETARY OF STATE, AND  
ALL PERSONS HAVING OR CLAIMING A  
LEGAL OR EQUITABLE INTEREST IN LOT  
NO. 12, BLOCK 10, UNIT 4, PHASE 1,  
DIAMONDHEAD, A SUBDIVISION OF HANCOCK  
COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI RESPONDENTS

SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION  
TO: State of Mississippi, Secretary of State and  
All Persons Having or Claiming a Legal or Equi-  
table Interest in Lot No. 12, Block 10, Unit 4,  
Phase 1, Diamondhead, A Subdivision of Han-  
cock County, Mississippi.  
This is a suit by Nicholas Behnen to confirm his  
title in that certain property described above, and  
as more fully set out in the Complaint for Con-  
firmation of Title which is on file in the Chancery  
Court of Hancock County, Mississippi in the  
above case number. If you have a legal or equi-  
table claim or interest in this property, you are re-  
quired to mail or hand-deliver a copy of your re-  
sponse to the Complaint to Confirm Title within  
thirty (30) days from the 27th day of January,  
2002, which is the date of first publication of this  
summons, to the attorney for the Plaintiffs, Kelly  
Michael Rayburn, Esq., whose address is Post  
Office Box 2566, Gulfport, Mississippi 39505.  
OTHERWISE, IF YOU FAIL TO FILE A RE-  
SPONSE, A JUDGMENT BY DEFAULT MAY BE  
ENTERED AGAINST YOU FOR THE RELIEF  
DEMANDED IN THE COMPLAINT.  
You must also file the original of your response  
with the Clerk of this Court within a reasonable  
time afterward. The address of the Clerk of this  
Court is P.O. Box 429, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi  
39521.  
(Seal)

TIMOTHY A. KELLAR, Chancery Clerk  
Hancock County, Mississippi  
DATED 1-17-02  
By: Larnell Scarborough  
Deputy Clerk  
01/27, 02/03, 02/10/02

## Public Notices

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF  
HARRISON COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI  
BAY ST. LOUIS, MISSISSIPPI  
SIEGLINDE H. ARCENEAUX PLAINTIFF  
VERSUS  
BILLY B. ARCENEAUX DEFENDANT

CAUSE NO. 2001-005  
SUMMONS  
(Service by Publication: Residence Unknown)  
To: Billy B. Arceneau whose last known address  
was Post Office Box 1281, Kiln, MS 39556, but  
whose present address is unknown. You have  
been made a Defendant in the lawsuit in this  
Court.

The Complaint filed against you has initiated a  
civil action seeking a divorce.  
You are required to mail or hand deliver a copy of  
a written Answer either admitting or denying each  
allegation in the Complaint to Ann Clark Lazzara,  
Plaintiff's Attorney, whose address is Post Office  
Drawer 300, Waveland, Mississippi 39576.  
Your answer must be mailed or delivered not later  
than thirty days after the 27th day of January,  
2002, which is the date of the first publication of  
this summons. If your answer is not so mailed or  
delivered, a judgment by default may be entered  
against you for the money or other relief demand-  
ed in the complaint.  
You must also file the original of your Answer  
with the Clerk of this Court within a reasonable  
time afterward.  
Witness my signature and official seal this 10,  
day of January, 2002.  
(Seal)

Larnell Scarborough  
Deputy Clerk  
Timothy Kellar  
Clerk of Court  
01/27, 02/03, 02/10/02

NOTICE TO CREDITORS  
OF  
PATRICIA WILLIAMS ZATARAIN  
NO. 2002-007  
Letters Testamentary having been granted on the  
17th day of January, 2002, by the Chancery  
Court of Hancock County, Mississippi to the un-  
derdesignated upon the Estate of Patricia Williams  
Zatarain, deceased, notice is hereby given to all  
persons having claims against said estate to  
present their claims to the undersigned by the  
probate and registered according to law within  
ninety (90) days from date of first publication of  
this notice, or they will be forever barred.  
This 17th day of January, 2002.

Judith Zatarain Greer,  
Executrix

David Michael Necase  
Attorney At Law  
P.O. Box 2036  
Bay St. Louis, MS 39521  
01/20, 01/27, 02/03, 02/10/02

NOTICE TO CREDITORS  
No. 2002-72  
Notice is hereby given that Letters of Testamen-  
tary on the Estate of J. H. HUBBARD, de-  
ceased, were granted to the undersigned by the  
Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi,  
on the 4th day of February, 2002, and all persons  
having claim against said estate are hereby no-  
ticed to present their claims to the Clerk of said  
Court and to have them probated and allowed  
within ninety days from the date for the first pub-  
lication of this notice. Failure to do so will bar the  
claim.  
This 7th day of February 2002.

s/Anne Anthony  
Wittmann & Wittmann  
Frank P. Wittmann III  
Attorney At Law  
1802 22nd Avenue  
Post Office Box 1648  
Gulfport, Mississippi 39501-2953  
(228) 864-1800  
BAR No. 7344  
02/10, 02/17, 02/24, 03/03/02

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF  
HARRISON COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI  
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE  
OF JAMES R. YAUGER  
LARRY RUGGLES PLAINTIFF  
VERSUS  
DAVID R. MORRISON, SUZANNE C.  
MORRISON, C. BORNE, AND ANY AND ALL  
PERSONS HAVING OR CLAIMING ANY LE-  
GAL OR EQUITABLE INTEREST IN OR TO:  
DEFENDANTS

TO: (a) David R. Morrison, a live, whose mailing  
address at the time of the within referenced tax  
sale was c/o Roy H. Huffington, Inc., P. O. Box  
4455, Houston, TX 77210, but whose present ad-  
dress, both post office and street address is un-  
known after diligent search and inquiry, and if  
he, his unknown heirs at law (b) Suzanne C.  
Morrison, if alive, whose mailing address at the  
time of the within referenced tax sale was c/o  
Roy H. Huffington, Inc., P. O. Box 4455, Houston,  
TX 77210, but whose present address, both post  
office and street address, is unknown after diligent  
search and inquiry, and if dead, her unknown  
heirs at law; (c) C. Borne, if alive, whose last  
known mailing address was 452 Carolyn Drive,  
Route 1, Deethran, LA 70047, but whose present  
address, both post office and street address is un-  
known after diligent search and inquiry, and if  
he, his unknown heirs at law; (d) ANY  
AND ALL PERSONS HAVING OR CLAIMING  
ANY LEGAL OR EQUITABLE INTEREST in or to  
the following land:  
Lot 48, Block 1, Amended Plat of Unit 2, DIA-  
MONDHEAD, Phase 1, according to the map or  
plat on file in the office of the Chancery Clerk  
of Hancock County, Mississippi.  
You have been made defendants in the lawsuit  
filed in this Court by Diamondhead Club  
SARS No. 7344.  
Property Owner: Diamondhead Club, Inc.,  
whose address is 5300 Diamondhead Circle,  
Diamondhead, MS 39525.  
The complaint filed against you has initiated a  
civil action alleging that the above  
described property and seeking to quiet and con-  
firm title.  
You are required to mail or hand deliver a written  
response to the Complaint filed against you in this  
action to PATRICIA H. WILLIS, Attorney for  
Complainant, whose mailing address is P.O. Box  
128, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi 39520 and whose  
office location is 100 S. Beach Blvd., Suite 8, Bay  
St. Louis, Mississippi 39520.  
YOUR ANSWER MUST BE MAILED OR DELIV-  
ERED AT THE COURT OF THE CHANCERY CLERK OF  
HARRISON COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI, ON OR BEFORE  
AFTER THE 10 DAY OF Feb. 2002, WHICH IS  
THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF  
THIS SUMMONS. IF YOUR RESPONSE IS NOT  
SO MAILED OR DELIVERED, JUDGMENT BY  
DEFAULT WILL BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU  
FOR THE MONEY OR OTHER RELIEF DE-  
MANDED IN THE COMPLAINT.  
You must also file the original of your Response  
with the Clerk of this Court within a reasonable  
time afterward.  
Issued under my hand and official seal of said  
Court, this 8 day of FEB., 2002.  
(Seal)

TIMOTHY A. KELLAR  
By: LARRINELL SCARBOROUGH  
Deputy Clerk  
P.O. Box 550, Bay St. Louis, MS 39520  
02/10, 02/17, 02/24/02

NOTICE OF AN APPEAL REGARDING  
MISSISSIPPI MANUFACTURED HOUSING  
ASSOCIATION APPEAL PLANNING AND ZONING  
COMMISSION'S DECISION RELATING  
TO MANUFACTURED HOUSING  
An appeal hearing will be held before the Han-  
cock County Board of Supervisors on Monday,  
March 20, 2002, at 3:00 p.m., in the Board of Su-  
pervisors Meeting Room, located at the Hancock  
County Courthouse, 150 Main Street, Bay St.  
Louis, Mississippi, 39520, regarding the Missis-  
sippi Manufactured Housing Association's Appeal  
of the Hancock County Planning Zoning Commis-  
sion's decision relating to a zoning ordinance  
amendment.  
The proposed amendments included:  
(1) eliminating manufactured homes as a condi-  
tional use in R-2 Zoning Districts.  
Published by Order of the Board of Supervisors  
of Hancock County, Mississippi, this 4th day  
of February, 2002.  
(Seal)

Timothy A. Kellar,  
Clerk, Board of Supervisors  
Hancock County, Mississippi  
By: Kathy Brooks, D.C.  
02/10, 02/17/02

## Public Notices

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF  
HARRISON COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI  
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE  
OF JAMES R. YAUGER  
LARRY RUGGLES PLAINTIFF  
VERSUS  
DAVID R. MORRISON, SUZANNE C.  
MORRISON, C. BORNE, AND ANY AND ALL  
PERSONS HAVING OR CLAIMING ANY LE-  
GAL OR EQUITABLE INTEREST IN OR TO:  
DEFENDANTS

TO: (a) David R. Morrison, a live, whose mailing  
address at the time of the within referenced tax  
sale was c/o Roy H. Huffington, Inc., P. O. Box  
4455, Houston, TX 77210, but whose present ad-  
dress, both post office and street address is un-  
known after diligent search and inquiry, and if  
he, his unknown heirs at law (b) Suzanne C.  
Morrison, if alive, whose mailing address at the  
time of the within referenced tax sale was c/o  
Roy H. Huffington, Inc., P. O. Box 4455, Houston,  
TX 77210, but whose present address, both post  
office and street address, is unknown after diligent  
search and inquiry, and if dead, her unknown  
heirs at law; (c) C. Borne, if alive, whose last  
known mailing address was 452 Carolyn Drive,  
Route 1, Deethran, LA 70047, but whose present  
address, both post office and street address is un-  
known after diligent search and inquiry, and if  
he, his unknown heirs at law; (d) ANY  
AND ALL PERSONS HAVING OR CLAIMING  
ANY LEGAL OR EQUITABLE INTEREST in or to  
the following land:  
Lot 48, Block 1, Amended Plat of Unit 2, DIA-  
MONDHEAD, Phase 1, according to the map or  
plat on file in the office of the Chancery Clerk  
of Hancock County, Mississippi.  
You have been made defendants in the lawsuit  
filed in this Court by Diamondhead Club  
SARS No. 7344.  
Property Owner: Diamondhead Club, Inc.,  
whose address is 5300 Diamondhead Circle,  
Diamondhead, MS 39525.  
The complaint filed against you has initiated a  
civil action alleging that the above  
described property and seeking to quiet and con-  
firm title.  
You are required to mail or hand deliver a written  
response to the Complaint filed against you in this  
action to PATRICIA H. WILLIS, Attorney for  
Complainant, whose mailing address is P.O. Box  
128, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi 39520 and whose  
office location is 100 S. Beach Blvd., Suite 8, Bay  
St. Louis, Mississippi 39520.  
YOUR ANSWER MUST BE MAILED OR DELIV-  
ERED AT THE COURT OF THE CHANCERY CLERK OF  
HARRISON COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI, ON OR BEFORE  
AFTER THE 10 DAY OF Feb. 2002, WHICH IS  
THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF  
THIS SUMMONS. IF YOUR RESPONSE IS NOT  
SO MAILED OR DELIVERED, JUDGMENT BY  
DEFAULT WILL BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU  
FOR THE MONEY OR OTHER RELIEF DE-  
MANDED IN THE COMPLAINT.  
You must also file the original of your Response  
with the Clerk of this Court within a reasonable  
time afterward.  
Issued under my hand and official seal of said  
Court, this 8 day of FEB., 2002.  
(Seal)

TIMOTHY A. KELLAR  
By: LARRINELL SCARBOROUGH  
Deputy Clerk  
P.O. Box 550, Bay St. Louis, MS 39520  
02/10, 02/17, 02/24/02

NOTICE OF AN APPEAL REGARDING  
MISSISSIPPI MANUFACTURED HOUSING  
ASSOCIATION APPEAL PLANNING AND ZONING  
COMMISSION'S DECISION RELATING  
TO MANUFACTURED HOUSING  
An appeal hearing will be held before the Han-  
cock County Board of Supervisors on Monday,  
March 20, 2002, at 3:00 p.m., in the Board of Su-  
pervisors Meeting Room, located at the Hancock  
County Courthouse, 150 Main Street, Bay St.  
Louis, Mississippi, 39520, regarding the Missis-  
sippi Manufactured Housing Association's Appeal  
of the Hancock County Planning Zoning Commis-  
sion's decision relating to a zoning ordinance  
amendment.  
The proposed amendments included:  
(1) eliminating manufactured homes as a condi-  
tional use in R-2 Zoning Districts.  
Published by Order of the Board of Supervisors  
of Hancock County, Mississippi, this 4th day  
of February, 2002.  
(Seal)

Timothy A. Kellar,  
Clerk, Board of Supervisors  
Hancock County, Mississippi  
By: Kathy Brooks, D.C.  
02/10, 02/17/02

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF  
HARRISON COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI  
DIAMONDHEAD CLUB, INC. PLAINTIFF  
VERSUS  
DAVID R. MORRISON, SUZANNE C.  
MORRISON, C. BORNE, AND ANY AND ALL  
PERSONS HAVING OR CLAIMING ANY LE-  
GAL OR EQUITABLE INTEREST IN OR TO:  
DEFENDANTS

TO: (a) David R. Morrison, a live, whose mailing  
address at the time of the within referenced tax  
sale was c/o Roy H. Huffington, Inc., P. O. Box  
4455, Houston, TX 77210, but whose present ad-  
dress, both post office and street address is un-  
known after diligent search and inquiry, and if  
he, his unknown heirs at law (b) Suzanne C.  
Morrison, if alive, whose mailing address at the  
time of the within referenced tax sale was c/o  
Roy H. Huffington, Inc., P. O. Box 4455, Houston,  
TX 77210, but whose present address, both post  
office and street address, is unknown after diligent  
search and inquiry, and if dead, her unknown  
heirs at law; (c) C. Borne, if alive, whose last  
known mailing address was 452 Carolyn Drive,  
Route 1, Deethran, LA 70047, but whose present  
address, both post office and street address is un-  
known after diligent search and inquiry, and if  
he, his unknown heirs at law; (d) ANY  
AND ALL PERSONS HAVING OR CLAIMING  
ANY LEGAL OR EQUITABLE INTEREST in or to  
the following land:  
Lot 48, Block 1, Amended Plat of Unit 2, DIA-  
MONDHEAD, Phase 1, according to the map or  
plat on file in the office of the Chancery Clerk  
of Hancock County, Mississippi.  
You have been made defendants in the lawsuit  
filed in this Court by Diamondhead Club  
SARS No. 7344.  
Property Owner: Diamondhead Club, Inc.,  
whose address is 5300 Diamondhead Circle,  
Diamondhead, MS 39525.  
The complaint filed against you has initiated a  
civil action alleging that the above  
described property and seeking to quiet and con-  
firm title.  
You are required to mail or hand deliver a written  
response to the Complaint filed against you in this  
action to PATRICIA H. WILLIS, Attorney for  
Complainant, whose mailing address is P.O. Box  
128, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi 39520 and whose  
office location is 100 S. Beach Blvd., Suite 8, Bay  
St. Louis, Mississippi 39520.  
YOUR ANSWER MUST BE MAILED OR DELIV-  
ERED AT THE COURT OF THE CHANCERY CLERK OF  
HARRISON COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI, ON OR BEFORE  
AFTER THE 10 DAY OF Feb. 2002, WHICH IS  
THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF  
THIS SUMMONS. IF YOUR RESPONSE IS NOT  
SO MAILED OR DELIVERED, JUDGMENT BY  
DEFAULT WILL BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU  
FOR THE MONEY OR OTHER RELIEF DE-  
MANDED IN THE COMPLAINT.  
You must also file the original of your Response  
with the Clerk of this Court within a reasonable  
time afterward.  
Issued under my hand and official seal of said  
Court, this 8 day of FEB., 2002.  
(Seal)

TIMOTHY A. KELLAR  
By: LARRINELL SCARBOROUGH  
Deputy Clerk  
P.O. Box 550, Bay St. Louis, MS 39520  
02/10, 02/17, 02/24/02

NOTICE OF AN APPEAL REGARDING  
MISSISSIPPI MANUFACTURED HOUSING  
ASSOCIATION APPEAL PLANNING AND ZONING  
COMMISSION'S DECISION RELATING  
TO MANUFACTURED HOUSING  
An appeal hearing will be held before the Han-  
cock County Board of Supervisors on Monday,  
March 20, 2002, at 3:00 p.m., in the Board of Su-  
pervisors Meeting Room, located at the Hancock  
County Courthouse, 150 Main Street, Bay St.  
Louis, Mississippi, 39520, regarding the Missis-  
sippi Manufactured Housing Association's Appeal  
of the Hancock County Planning Zoning Commis-  
sion's decision relating to a zoning ordinance  
amendment.  
The proposed amendments included:  
(1) eliminating manufactured homes as a condi-  
tional use in R-2 Zoning Districts.  
Published by Order of the Board of Supervisors  
of Hancock County, Mississippi, this 4th day  
of February, 2002.  
(Seal)

Timothy A. Kellar,  
Clerk, Board of Supervisors  
Hancock County, Mississippi  
By: Kathy Brooks, D.C.  
02/10, 02/17/02

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF  
HARRISON COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI  
DIAMONDHEAD CLUB, INC. PLAINTIFF  
VERSUS  
DAVID R. MORRISON, SUZANNE C.  
MORRISON, C. BORNE, AND ANY AND ALL  
PERSONS HAVING OR CLAIMING ANY LE-  
GAL OR EQUITABLE INTEREST IN OR TO:  
DEFENDANTS

TO: (a) David R. Morrison, a live, whose mailing  
address at the time of the within referenced tax  
sale was c/o Roy H. Huffington, Inc., P. O. Box  
4455, Houston, TX 77210, but whose present ad-  
dress, both post office and street address is un-  
known after diligent search and inquiry, and if  
he, his unknown heirs at law (b) Suzanne C.  
Morrison, if alive, whose mailing address at the  
time of the within referenced tax sale was c/o  
Roy H. Huffington, Inc., P. O. Box 4455, Houston,  
TX 77210, but whose present address, both post  
office and street address, is unknown after diligent  
search and inquiry, and if dead, her unknown  
heirs at law; (c) C. Borne, if alive, whose last  
known mailing address was 452 Carolyn Drive,  
Route 1, Deethran, LA 70047, but whose present  
address, both post office and street address is un-  
known after diligent search and inquiry, and if  
he, his unknown heirs at law; (d) ANY  
AND ALL PERSONS HAVING OR CLAIMING  
ANY LEGAL OR EQUITABLE INTEREST in or to  
the following land:  
Lot 48, Block 1, Amended Plat of Unit 2, DIA-  
MONDHEAD, Phase 1, according to the map or  
plat on file in the office of the Chancery Clerk  
of Hancock County, Mississippi.  
You have been made defendants in the lawsuit  
filed in this Court by Diamondhead Club  
SARS No. 7344.  
Property Owner: Diamondhead Club, Inc.,  
whose address is 5300 Diamondhead Circle,  
Diamondhead, MS 39525.  
The complaint filed against you has initiated a  
civil action alleging that the above  
described property and seeking to quiet and con-  
firm title.  
You are required to mail or hand deliver a written  
response to the Complaint filed against you in this  
action to PATRICIA H. WILLIS, Attorney for  
Complainant, whose mailing address is P.O. Box  
128, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi 39520 and whose  
office location is 100 S. Beach Blvd., Suite 8, Bay  
St. Louis, Mississippi 39520.  
YOUR ANSWER MUST BE MAILED OR DELIV-  
ERED AT THE COURT OF THE CHANCERY CLERK OF  
HARRISON COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI, ON OR BEFORE  
AFTER THE 10 DAY OF Feb. 2002, WHICH IS  
THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF  
THIS SUMMONS. IF YOUR RESPONSE IS NOT  
SO MAILED OR DELIVERED, JUDGMENT BY  
DEFAULT WILL BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU  
FOR THE MONEY OR OTHER RELIEF DE-  
MANDED IN THE COMPLAINT.  
You must also file the original of your Response  
with the Clerk of this Court within a reasonable  
time afterward.  
Issued under my hand and official seal of said  
Court, this 8 day of FEB., 2002.  
(Seal)

TIMOTHY A. KELLAR  
By: LARRINELL SCARBOROUGH  
Deputy Clerk  
P.O. Box 550, Bay St. Louis, MS 39520  
02/10, 02/17, 02/24/02

NOTICE OF AN APPEAL REGARDING  
MISSISSIPPI MANUFACTURED HOUSING  
ASSOCIATION APPEAL PLANNING AND ZONING  
COMMISSION'S DECISION RELATING  
TO MANUFACTURED HOUSING  
An appeal hearing will be held before the Han-  
cock County Board of Supervisors on Monday,  
March 20, 2002, at 3:00 p.m., in the Board of Su-  
pervisors Meeting Room, located at the Hancock  
County Courthouse, 150 Main Street, Bay St.  
Louis, Mississippi, 39520, regarding the Missis-  
sippi Manufactured Housing Association's Appeal  
of the Hancock County Planning Zoning Commis-  
sion's decision relating to a zoning ordinance  
amendment.  
The proposed amendments included:  
(1) eliminating manufactured homes as a condi-  
tional use in R-2 Zoning Districts.  
Published by Order of the Board of Supervisors  
of Hancock County, Mississippi, this 4th day  
of February, 2002.  
(Seal)

Timothy A. Kellar,  
Clerk, Board of Supervisors  
Hancock County, Mississippi  
By: Kathy Brooks, D.C.  
02/10, 02/17/02

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF  
HARRISON COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI  
DIAMONDHEAD CLUB, INC. PLAINTIFF  
VERSUS  
DAVID R. MORRISON, SUZANNE C.  
MORRISON, C. BORNE, AND ANY AND ALL  
PERSONS HAVING OR CLAIMING ANY LE-  
GAL OR EQUITABLE INTEREST IN OR TO:  
DEFENDANTS

TO: (a) David R. Morrison, a live, whose mailing  
address at the time of the within referenced tax  
sale was c/o Roy H. Huffington, Inc., P. O. Box  
4455, Houston, TX 77210, but whose present ad-  
dress, both post office and street address is un-  
known after diligent search and inquiry, and if  
he, his unknown heirs at law (b) Suzanne C.  
Morrison, if alive, whose mailing address at the  
time of the within referenced tax sale was c/o  
Roy H. Huffington, Inc., P. O. Box 4455, Houston,  
TX 77210, but whose present address, both post  
office and street address, is unknown after diligent  
search and inquiry, and if dead, her unknown  
heirs at law; (c) C. Borne, if alive, whose last  
known mailing address was 452 Carolyn Drive,  
Route 1, Deethran, LA 70047, but whose present  
address, both post office and street address is un-  
known after diligent search and inquiry, and if  
he, his unknown heirs at law; (d) ANY  
AND ALL PERSONS HAVING OR CLAIMING

# Entertainment

## Astro Camp accepting applications for summer 2002 Stennis sessions

Future astronauts and kids who just want to have fun are gearing up for Astro Camp 2002 this summer at Stennis Space Center.

Each camp is an exciting five-day space mission featuring activities related to this year's theme, "What's in the Night Sky."

Camp is from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday, and the fee, which includes lunch and snacks, is \$150 per camper.

Camps for children ages 7-9 will be held June 10-14, June 17-21, June 24-28 and July 8-12. Camps for children ages 10-12 will be held July 15-19 and July 22-26.

Enrollment is limited to the first 25 applicants. The deadline for pre-registration is April 1, and a non-refundable \$50 deposit (which goes toward the \$150 fee) must accompany the application. The balance of the fee is due upon the camper's arrival at Astro Camp.

"What's in the Night Sky" will teach children about planets and constellations, the Moon, comets, nebulas, galaxies and more. Campers will get to tour Stennis Space Center, America's largest rocket test complex, and will build and launch their own rockets. They also will have an opportunity to ride on the new Spaceball Gyro Chair, a gyroscope chair designed like the one

astronauts use for training; and to take a ride on a motion simulator ride.

Call (228) 688-2322 or 1-800-237-1821 (Option 1) to register or for more information.

### SPACES AVAILABLE FOR STENNISPHERE'S NEXT ASTRO CAMP SATURDAYS

StenniSphere's Astro Camp Saturday is a series of one-day camps held one Saturday each month at Stennis Space Center's award-winning visitor center, StenniSphere.

The next Astro Camp Saturday space mission will be "Star Station One" on March 16. Children ages 9-12 can learn about the International Space Station and then design and build their own version of a space station. Slots are still available for this one-day mission at NASA Stennis Space Center's visitor center. The cost is \$50 and includes lunch and all supplies. Future Astro Camp Saturday missions are scheduled throughout the spring.

On April 13, campers can build and launch their own rockets. On May 11, campers will embark on a mission to Mars.

Call (228) 688-2322 or 1-800-237-1821 (Option 1) to register or for more information.



Astronauts Cosmo (left) and Dr. Halley Comet (StenniSphere Visitor Relations Specialists Ryan Dearman and Wendy Lesieur, respectively) place an American flag on a rock on the Red Planet. The scene is part of the new stage show, "Oh My Stars, We've Landed on Mars!", an entertaining and educational presentation performed at 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. daily in the StenniSphere auditorium at Stennis Space Center.

**FREE**  
 previously  
 released movie  
 with new release

608 Blue Meadow Road  
Bay St. Louis • 467-5581

## Charity Slot Tournament!

### February 11

**Prizes:**  
 1st \$500 • 2nd \$200  
 3rd \$150 • 4th \$100  
 5th \$50

Registration at the box office, second floor, 4 p.m. - 6 p.m. Entry fee is a \$10 donation and includes a free buffet, a participation gift and a chance to win your share of \$1,000. For details, call VIP Guest Services at 1-800-5-MAGIC-5, ext. 8008 or call the Tournament Hotline, ext. 4277. No checks please.

CASINO & GOLF RESORT  
Bay St. Louis, MS  
466-8008  
www.casinomagic.com

## Entertainment at Casino Magic Bay St. Louis

### ENTERTAINMENT: Entertainment in the Entertainment Complex:

Saturday, Feb. 16, Engelbert Humperdinck at 9 p.m. in the Magic Entertainment Complex. Tickets: \$29.95, \$34.95 & \$39.95

Tickets may be purchased by calling the Casino Magic Box Office at 1-800-5-MAGIC-5 or through any Ticketmaster outlet.

### Upcoming Lobby Entertainment Free in the Main Lobby:

Bobby Allison, Tues., Wed., Sat., noon - 4 p.m.  
 Feb. 5 - 9, SaVey  
 Feb. 10, 12 - 14, Vince Vance & the Valiants  
 Feb. 15 - 17, Brandon Bennett (Elvis - My Way)  
 Feb. 19 - 24, Mustang Sally

Show times are 8 & 10:30 p.m. Tuesday - Saturday, 6 & 8:30 p.m. Sundays unless otherwise noted.

Plus, The Good Stuff Jazz Band, 11 a.m. - 3 p.m. every Sunday in Bienville's Bay



Engelbert Humperdinck is scheduled to perform at Casino Magic Bay St. Louis on Saturday, Feb. 16.

<p><b>Future Headline Entertainment:</b>  <b>Glen Campbell</b>          March 8 at 9 p.m.  <b>Paul Anka</b>          March 16 at 9 p.m.</p>	<p>Tickets start at \$29.95  <b>Charlie Daniels Band</b>          April 6 at 9 p.m.</p> <p><b>The Brothers Smothers</b>          April 26 at 9 p.m.          Tickets start at \$19.95</p>
---	---

## Copeland to exhibit in Waveland

That Cute Little Shop on Coleman has joined with the Gulf Coast Art Association and will be featuring work by members of the association.

Featured artist for February and March will be Dot Copeland of Waveland.

Copeland is a board member and serves as workshop chairman of the association.

Copeland's work is well known on the Coast, and she is known for her watercolor paintings. Featured in this show will be coastal

subjects. Her work is collected locally as well as nationally and internationally. She started showing her

work in 1965 and has had 21 one-artist shows as well as teaching workshops in Alabama, Mississippi and Tennessee.

## NO PAPER?

Call the  
**Sea Coast Echo**  
 Circulation Department  
**467-5474**  
 Mon-Fri  
 8am - 5pm  
 Sun  
 7am - 10am

**O'Neil Theatres** **CHOCTAW CINEMA IV**  
 310 Hwy 90 Waveland  
 (228) 467-1492 • \$2.00 admission  
 Ask about our gift certificates \$2.00 admission

**COLLATERAL DAMAGE**  
 Fri, Wed & Thurs 7, 9 • Sat-Tues 3, 5, 7, 9  
 PG-13

**ROLLERBALL**  
 Fri, Wed & Thurs 7, 9 • Sat-Tues 3, 5, 7, 9  
 PG-13

**ORANGE COUNTY**  
 Fri, Wed & Thurs 7, 9 • Sat-Tues 3, 5, 7, 9  
 PG-13

**KUNG POW**  
 Fri, Wed & Thurs 7, 9 • Sat-Tues 3, 5, 7, 9  
 PG-13

www.movie-info.com

## BEST PAWN

466-7777 Jewelry  
 bestpawn.com  
 12402 HWY 90 • NEXT TO POST OFFICE • BAY ST. LOUIS

## Did we take your picture?

The Sea Coast Echo

# Photos

Available for purchase online at  
[www.seacoastecho.com](http://www.seacoastecho.com)

VOL. 1

The FEB

Last c baseb

The las the Kiln for the up Saturday, a.m. until Sports Co Girls ages 4-18 are informati Cameron

Postc conte

The Coalition postcard auction. per artist be accepte invited to silent auc 22. Proceeds for 466-6618

Black progr

Maced Baptist C will host gram with Oliver of Friday, Fe

Wh Editori Obituar Sports Classi

Cam FU

Ce M Ar

Sun. 3

Mon. 4

Tues. 4

Wed. 4

Thurs. 4

Cam FU

Ce M Ar

Sun. 3

Mon. 4

Tues. 4

Wed. 4

Thurs. 4